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London International Stamp Exhibition July 9-16, 1960

IN connection with the London International Stamp Exhibition 1960, which is being held at The Royal Festival Hall, London, England, July 9-16, a sheet of twelve labels has been issued which show, among others, the first Post Office date-stamps issued during the Colonial period in North America: New York 1758, Philadelphia 1767, Albany (N.Y.) 1774, Charlestown, S. C. 1774, and Quebec 1776.

These labels commemorate the tercentenary of the appointment in 1660 as Postmaster General of the United Kingdom of *Colonel Henry Bishop*. The date-stamps were the result of an invention introduced by him and he was responsible for the issue of these first Post Office stamps.

Bishop was born in 1604, the son of Sir Thomas Bishop, Bt. In 1643 he espoused the Royal Cause during the Civil War with the rank of Colonel in the cavalry. The Roundheads went to his home in Sussex to arrest him, but he hid and subsequently fled via Bristol to his plantation in Virginia, which he had bought in 1640. It consisted of some 1200 acres on the south side of the James River. In 1646 he returned to England and took his oath to the National Covenant. On restoration of Charles II in 1660 he became Postmaster General, and during the following year wrote a Post Office advertisement which appeared in the weekly News Sheets, as follows:

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A small portion of this advertisement is quoted at the bottom of the sheet of labels being issued at the London exhibition. Each of the labels shows the portrait of Henry Bishop, and the complete sheet illustrates twelve different types of stamps that were issued as a result of Bishop's work. The twelve labels show one stamp for each of the twelve months of the year, and in many cases the actual date chosen is appropriate to the city. The complete sheet is 25c, and can be ordered through your stamp dealer.

Adaptations of these date-stamps were used in six cities of the British Empire of the 17th and 18th centuries, in addition to those used in North America. These were as follows, the year date given being that in which they were introduced: In England — London, 1661; Exeter, 1698; Bristol, 1705. Also, Dublin, Ireland, 1672; Edinburgh, Scotland, 1693; Calcutta, India, 1776.

The New York post office was established in 1672 during the first British occupation. Population then was about 3,500. New York to Boston service was established in 1672. Post Office sailing packet service was established in 1721. The first regular packet service Falmouth-New York was in 1755.

Boston's first mail receiving house was established in 1639; Albany's post office was operating in 1772; Charlestown's post office was established about 1690, it had occasional post office packet service in 1721, and first regular service to Falmouth and the West Indies was in 1764.

Sheet of the Bishop labels brought out in connection with the London International Exhibition 1960, as discussed in accompanying story. The inscription at bottom could not be brought up to be decipherable in the illustration owing to the dark brown background of the paper on which it is printed.

London International Stamp Exhibition cancellations approved by the General Post Office for use at the Exhibition Post Office in the Royal Festival Hall, July 9-16, 1960. The large cancel at left is a handstamp, which will be applied to packets and registered letters. The blank center will be filled by the date in the style used in the original Bishop Mark. The three examples illustrated are those for July 9, 10, 11. The series will comprise these and similar date-stamps for July 12 through 16. The slogan and smaller Tudor Rose are to be incorporated with the London, S.E. 1 district machine date-stamp, which will appear at the left and will be used on ordinary mail posted at the Exhibition.

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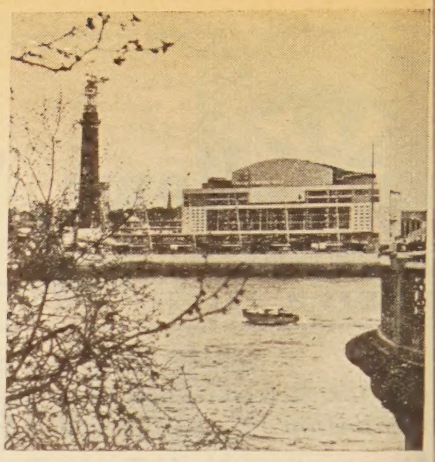

Royal Festival Hall, site of London International Stamp Exhibition July 9-16, 1960.

Other details about the London exhibition have appeared in earlier issues of STAMPS, and particularly detailed in the issue of February 6, 1960. In the March 12, 1960 issue we had information about the Maritime exhibition which will be held concurrently in the Maritime Museum in Greenwich, and which will be one of the unusual side trips of the London event.

Polish Centenary Exhibition in Warsaw, Sept. 3-11, 1960

THE exhibition to be held in Warsaw, Poland, September 3-11, 1960, to commemorate the centenary of Polish postage stamps, was organized by the *Polish Philatelic Federation,* which numbers 30,000 members. A special committee to cooperate in the planning was appointed by the Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications. The exhibition will constitute one of the main features of the centenary celebration.

Entries have been received from the five continents, and the exhibition has received good publicity in the world philatelic press, according to the Committee's latest report. Interest shown has far exceeded expectations.

Standard of the exhibits will be on a high level since only displays which have received at least a silver medal at national or international shows are being accepted. It has been necessary, because of demand for frames, however, to allot fewer frames than were requested for some of the accepted exhibits.

The exhibition is to be held in the Congress Hall, occupying all available space there, plus the fourth floor of the Palace of Culture and Science.

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Sept. 14—Baltimore, Md.—4c Francis Scott Key "Credo"
Oct. 22—Atlantic City, N. J.—7c Fire Red Airmail Stamp in coils.
Nov. 1—New York 1, N. Y.—4c Camp Fire Girls
Nov. 7—Washington, D. C.—4c and 8c Garibaldi, Champion of Liberty
Nov. 25—New York, N. Y.—4c Famous American, Andrew Carnegie
Date to be announced—Washington, D. C.—4c and 8c Paderewski Champion of Liberty

of Honor will be from the collections of Queen Elizabeth II and Sir John Wilson, of England; Mirko Verner, of Jugoslavia; and Myron Steczynski, of Chicago. Also, on view there will be portions of collections from the Wroclaw Museum.

In the competitive class there will be a wide variety of displays from various parts of the world. The Postal Administrations of forty-nine countries have promised displays.

Prime Minister Jozef Cyrankiewicz is the honorary patron of the exhibition, and *Minister Z. Moskwa* is president of the honorary committee.

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Five major awards are planned, in addition to the gold, silver, and bronze medals. These will be (1) Grand Prize of Honor, for the best exhibit in the Honor class; (2) Grand Prize International, for the best exhibit of foreign stamps in the competitive class; (3) Grand Prize National, for the best exhibit of Polish stamps; (4) Special Award for the best exhibit by a Polish exhibitor in the foreign class; (5) Special award for the best exhibit of Polish stamps by a Polish exhibitor. There will also be special awards for the best topical, and numerous minor awards.

A meeting of the F.I.P. Congress will take place during the exhibition period, at which various problems will be discussed, including developing and deepening international contacts, leading to greater frendship between the people of all nations.

The *Polonus Philatelic Society*, with headquarters in Chicago, will sail in a group on August 13, from New York, to visit the show. They will go first to London, then Amsterdam and Copenhagen, arriving in Poland August 22nd. After the Warsaw exhibition ends they will visit a number of cities in Poland and return to Chicago via Vienna, Venice, and Rome.

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Our thanks to the following for their first day covers: *Alexander Vansovich,* Rio de Janeiro, for cover and copies of the Brasilia set issued April 21, 1960; *Ernst Reitzig,* Berlin, for cover of the overprinted Inauguration of the Port of Rostock stamp issued April 28, 1960; *Gustav Th. Schlesinger,* Graz, Austria, for a first flight cover of Austrian Airlines, Vienna—Venice, dated April 2, 1960; and *Leif Johansen,* Ulleval hageby, Norway, for a card dated May 1, 1960, with a special cancellation for the first jet flight of Scandinavian Airlines from Oslo to New York.

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The front cover of the *Saturday Evening Post* for May 14, 1960, shows a man trying to concentrate on his stamp collection while a group of teen-agers rock and roll in the background. It was interesting to note that the man is using the "All American" stamp album, published by *Minkus Publications,* of New York.

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From *Peter E. Rentschler,* Hamilton, O., comes an article from the April 28, 1960 edition of the *Chicago Daily News,* or Arbor Day The article is illustrated with an enlarged reproduction of the 1932 Arbor Day commemorative.

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At the 104th auction of Edgar Mohrmann, held recently in Dusseldorf, there was a turnover of about $150,000 in thirteen hours; and at the 105th auction the early part of May, about the same turnover took place in 12½ hours. The next auction will be in September.

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Rafael Oriol, of Havana, Cuba, writes that the annual "Stamp Day" exhibition of the *Club Filatelico de Cuba* on April 24, 1960, was very successful, best so far. In the early part of May the club had an auction exclusively of Cuban stamps, including many rarities. Average of sales was 68 percent of catalog, and many lots were sold at 100 to 120 percent over catalog.

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Q. Why is Canada #163b (1930-31, 1c green, die I) not listed in the 1959 catalog?

A. There is a constant changing of catalog numbers year by year as the editors decide a number that was an "a" variety deserves status as a number by itself; or vice versa. Or, as when the present US #1 and 2 were shifted as a result of a change in the editorial thinking. The 1957 and 1958 Scott dropped the Die I for the 1c; it is there for the 2c only.

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Q. Are there listings for ship cancellation covers; first flights and voyages? Listing of non-commem. (regular) plate numbers? Data on old Indian revenues?

A. For the first, try the following: Universal Ship Cancellation Society, Howard Neill, 2072 Woodlawn Ave., Glenside, Penna.; Maritime Postmark Society, Alan T. Tattersall, Route 10, Box 837A, Jacksonville 5, Florida. For plate numbers, write The Bureau Issues Association, Roger H. Bryant, 85 Forest St., Worcester 5, Mass. For Indian revenues I suggest the Bombay Philatelic Club, Sir P.M. Road, Fort, Bombay 1, India.

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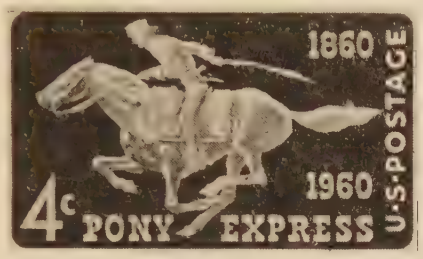

Design of Pony Express Envelope

and "1960" appear in the right part of the design, above and below the horse's tail. In the lower left corner is the denomination "4c" and across the bottom "PONY EXPRESS." At the extreme right, reading upwards, is "U. S. POSTAGE."

This envelope will be in size 6¾ (3⅝ by 6½ inches), with the background of the stamp printed in brown. A total of 50 million has been ordered, and the envelopes will be distributed generally to post offices for sale (5 cents apiece) on and after July 20, 1960.

Collectors desiring first-day cancellations may submit orders to the Postmaster, Saint Joseph, Missouri, plainly indicating full names and addresses to whom the 4-cent Pony Express stamped envelopes are to be sent, with a remittance to cover the cost, which will be 5 cents per envelope. Addressed gummed labels may be submitted to be affixed to the envelopes, if desired. The outside envelope to the Postmaster should be endorsed "First Day Covers 4c Pony Express Envelope."

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Rare Stamps at British Exhibition in New York

By KENNETH CHAPMAN

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EDITOR'S NOTE: The British Exhibition New York, the American Continent's first comprehensive all-British exhibition, will occupy all four floors of the huge Coliseum Building from June 10 through 26, 1960. The exhibition will show a broad cross-section of Britain, and give an idea of the great contribution Britain is making towards industrial, technological, and scientific progress.

One of the special displays will be the British General Post Office exhibit, showing some of the world's rarest satmps, including the world's first adhesive postage stamps, the Penny Blacks of 1840. The accompanying article by *Kenneth Chapman*, editor of *Stamp Collecting*, London, gives some background information on Britain's postal development from 1840 onward.

All of our readers who are able to visit the exhibition will find it well worth while, we believe. Other phases include how Britain is putting atomic energy to use; pioneering new fields in aviation, such as the amazing hovercraft; other pioneering achievements of Britain. Steel, shipbuilding, banks, transport, chemicals, engineering, Britain's consumer goods, and many other features. There will be an exact replica of the Coffee House where Lloyd's world-wide shipping and insurance business began in 1687; and the BBC display will show how British broadcasts are heard in forty languages all over the world.

Admission will be $1.50 for adults; 75c for children. Special rates for children in organized school parties, 50c each. For further information write *British Exhibition*, 355 *Lexington Ave., New York* 17, *N. Y.*

THE exhibit of Britain's General Post Office at the British Exhibition which is to be opened by the Duke of Edinburgh in New York on June 10, 1960, will span 120 years of postal development.

In 1840 Britain introduced the first adhesive postage stamps and set the pattern for a world-wide reform in postal systems. From then on the British public could prepay mail without the necessity of going in person to the post office every time they posted a letter.

In 1960 Britain has so designed her stamps that they activate the delicate electronic devices of a wonder machine which takes letters from the segregating machine (which automatically divides the rough mail into separate streams of packets, long envelopes and short envelopes) and automatically faces the letters, date-stamps them, and picks out the unsealed envelopes. The stamps are treated with lines of a special phosphor. The halfpenny, penny, penny-half - penny, twopenny-half - penny, three-penny, and four-penny stamps contain two lines of the phosphor and the twopenny stamp, used for printed matter, one line of phosphor.

As the letters pass through the machine, the phosphor lines enable the scanning devices to detect the position of the stamps. The machine picks out stamps bearing only one line from the rest of the mail.

The machine was first tried out with stamps containing lines of graphite. These worked reasonably well, but the British Post Office now thinks that the phosphor - lined stamps will be more efficient and cheaper.

Check To Forgery

Now let us go back to 1840. The General Post Office exhibit at New York June 10-26, opens with a complete proof sheet of the famous Penny Black, pulled before the corner check letters were added. The second exhibit is a proof from the first Penny Black plate with the check - letters added. These check-letters were punched in by hand for all the 240 impressions on the printing plate. With two letters to each stamp, this meant 480 hand punches were applied to each plate in an alphabetical sequence which ensured that each stamp of the 240 was lettered differently from any other on the plate, the intention being to render forgery more difficult.

It is extraordinary, and speaks volumes for the care the printers took, that errors of lettering are very few on these early British stamps. An example did occur in 1847 when, on Plate 77 of the imperforate penny red-brown, the first stamp of the second row which should have been lettered BA, had only the B in the left-hand corner and a blank in the right-hand corner. This rare error, of which an example is in the exhibit, is valued by philatelists at about $1,500.

The British penny and twopenny stamps were originally intended for internal use only, but, as overseas countries came to accept letters prepaid by adhesives, other values followed, the one shilling embossed of 1847 being specifically for franking letters to the United States. At a later date a two-shilling stamp was printed for use on two-ounce letters to the United States, and a full sheet of these is in the exhibit. It comes from the very rare Plate 3 printing, which was registered at Somerset House, but never put to press for a general printing. The few known copies of the two-shilling Plate 3 in private hands must have come from one of the five sheets which it was customary to pull at the time of registration, and which were not normally issued if the printing from that plate was never carried out.

Rival Service Begun

In the pioneer days many local postal services were operating openly in the United States, and each service issued its own stamps. Although in Britain the Postmaster General held the monopoly for running the postal service, in 1865 an enterprising Edinburgh business man, who considered the official minimum charge of one penny too much for locally-addressed printed circulars, established a Circular Delivery Company, accepted printed circulars for delivery in Edinburgh at one farthing each, and issued his own

stamps in this denomination.

This, and other posts which he started elsewhere, were suppressed in 1867, but the public outcry resulted in the introduction of a nation-wide printed matter rate of one halfpenny. That is the background to the introduction of Britain's smallest postage stamp in 1870, the little halfpenny red brown of which a complete sheet is being exhibited.

In direct contrast, there is the largest stamp, and the highest denomination ever issued by the British Post Office. It is the £5 orange stamp which first appeared in 1882. Although available for postage, it was primarily used on telegram forms and is usually found telegraphically cancelled. Indeed, a £5 telegraph stamp preceded this postal issue, which was adapted from the telegraph stamp by erasing TELEGRAPHS from each impression on the plate and inserting the word POSTAGE in its place.

Stamps For Royal Household

From 1882 to about 1902 certain government departments were provided with stamps distinctively overprinted for use on departmental mail. It was part of a scheme for checking official postal expenses, but was finally abandoned in favor of the universal "On Her Majesty's Service" envelopes with a printed "OFFICIAL PAID" frank. Among the less usual of the overprints was the "R. H. OFFICIAL" applied to the halfpenny and one penny stamps of King Edward VII in 1902 for use by officials of the Royal Household. A complete sheet of these is unknown outside Post Office control, so the sheet of halfpenny stamps to be exhibited in New York is a real novelty to collectors everywhere.

In one respect Britain is different from other countries. By clinging to the traditional Royal Portrait as identifying her stamps, Britain has almost neglected the undoubted attractions of the pictorial stamp with which Americans are so familiar. The nearest to pure pictorial stamps issued by Britain so far are the four engraved current high values with their pictures of famous castles in the four countries that make up the United Kingdom. They are: Carrickfergus Castle, Northern Ireland, on the two shilling and sixpence; Caernarvon Castle, Wales, on the five shillings; Edinburgh Castle, Scotland, on the ten shillings; and Windsor Castle, the Royal residence in England, on the £1.

One of the two complete proof sheets, valued at $2,800,000 each, of Britain's Penny Black which will be exhibited for the first time in the United States at the British Exhibition in the New York Coliseum, June 10-26, 1960. (Reproduction is in reduced size.)

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H. Kricheldorf reports on a special issue for the Dunquerque area in occupied Northern France, followed by the German Post in the East during the occupation beginning in 1939. The "General Government" issues in Poland are thoroughly covered, with tables showing the stamps on which the overprints appeared, and with numerous illustrations of the overprinted issues as well as those stamps specially designed and issued for the area. The Baltic States under German occupation are also covered, and Soviet areas during German occupation. Mr. Kricheldorf also has a chapter on the German Reichspost Abroad and in the Colonies.

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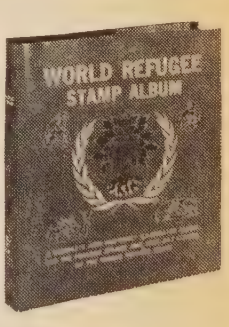

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This change will become effective as soon as existing stocks of the 7-cent blue airmail stamp are exhausted, about September 1, 1960. Orders have been placed with the Bureau of Engraving and Printing to commence production of the current 7-cent airmail design in a "fire red" shade. An order has also been placed with the International Envelope Corporation in Dayton, Ohio, to begin printing the 7-cent embossed airmail envelope in the same color.

The 7-cent airmail stamp in sheet form (100 subjects), will be placed on sale at Arlington, Virginia, on August 12, 1960, in conjunction with the annual convention of the *American Air Mail Society*. This group will meet at the Marriott Motel in Arlington, August 12 to 14, 1960.

Collectors desiring first day covers of the 7-cent air mail stamp (sheet form) should send addressed envelopes to the *Postmaster, Arlington* 1, *Virginia,* in the regular manner. The envelope to the Postmaster should be endorsed "First Day Covers 7c Air Mail Stamp."

The 7-cent embossed air mail envelope in fire red will be first placed on sale August 18, 1960, at Portland, Oregon, in conjunction with the 74th annual convention and exhibition of the American Philatelic Society. This affair, sponsored by the Oregon Stamp Society, will be held at the Sheraton-Portland Hotel from August 17 to 21, 1960.

Collectors desiring first day cancellations of the 7-cent Air Mail embossed envelope, standard 6¾ size only, may submit orders to the *Postmaster, Portland* 8, *Oregon,* for a reasonable number of envelopes, plainly indicating full name and address, with remittance to cover the cost, which is 8c *each*. Gummed address labels may be sent. The envelope to the Postmaster should be marked "First Day Covers 7c Envelope."

The 7-cent fire red Air Mail in booklet form will have its first day sale at Saint Louis, Missouri, on August 19, 1960, in conjunction with the 66th annual convention and exhibition of the Society of Philatelic Americans, which is to be held at the Sheraton-Jefferson Hotel in Saint Louis, Missouri, August 18 to 21, 1960, with Mound City Stamp Club as host.

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The 7-cent Air Mail in coil form wil be first placed on sale October 22, 1960 at Atlantic City, New Jersey, in conjunc tion with the annual convention of Aerc Philatelists, Inc. This group will meet during the 25th anniversary exhibition of the Association of South Jersey Stamp Clubs (SOJEX), October 21-23, 1960, at the Jefferson Hotel.

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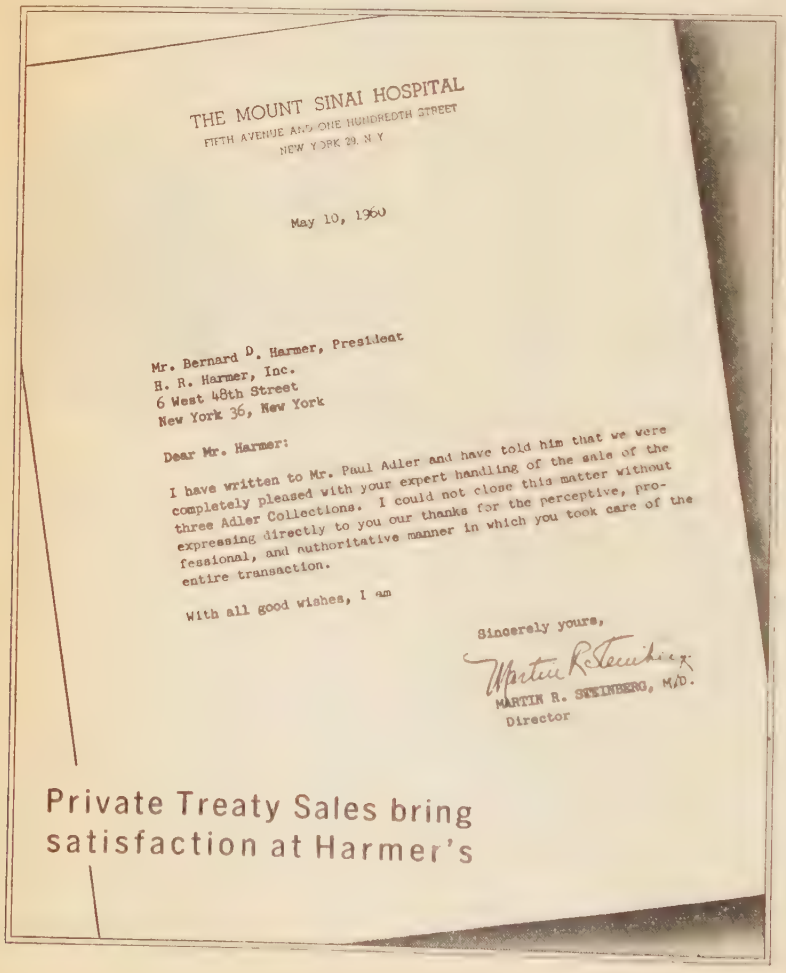
In sending envelopes to the Postmasters at Arlington, Saint Louis, and Atlantic City, it is suggested that a close-fitting enclosure of postal card thickness be placed in each envelope and the flap either turned in or sealed.

Envelopes submitted should be of ordinary letter size and each must be properly addressed. An envelope must not be sent for the return of first-day covers, and orders for covers must not include requests for uncanceled stamps. Mint 7-cent air mail stamps in sheet and coil form may be ordered from the Philatelic Sales Agency, Post Office Department, Washington 25, D. C.

The present 7-cent Air Mail stamp was first released July 31, 1958, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. It was designed by *William H. Buckley* of New York.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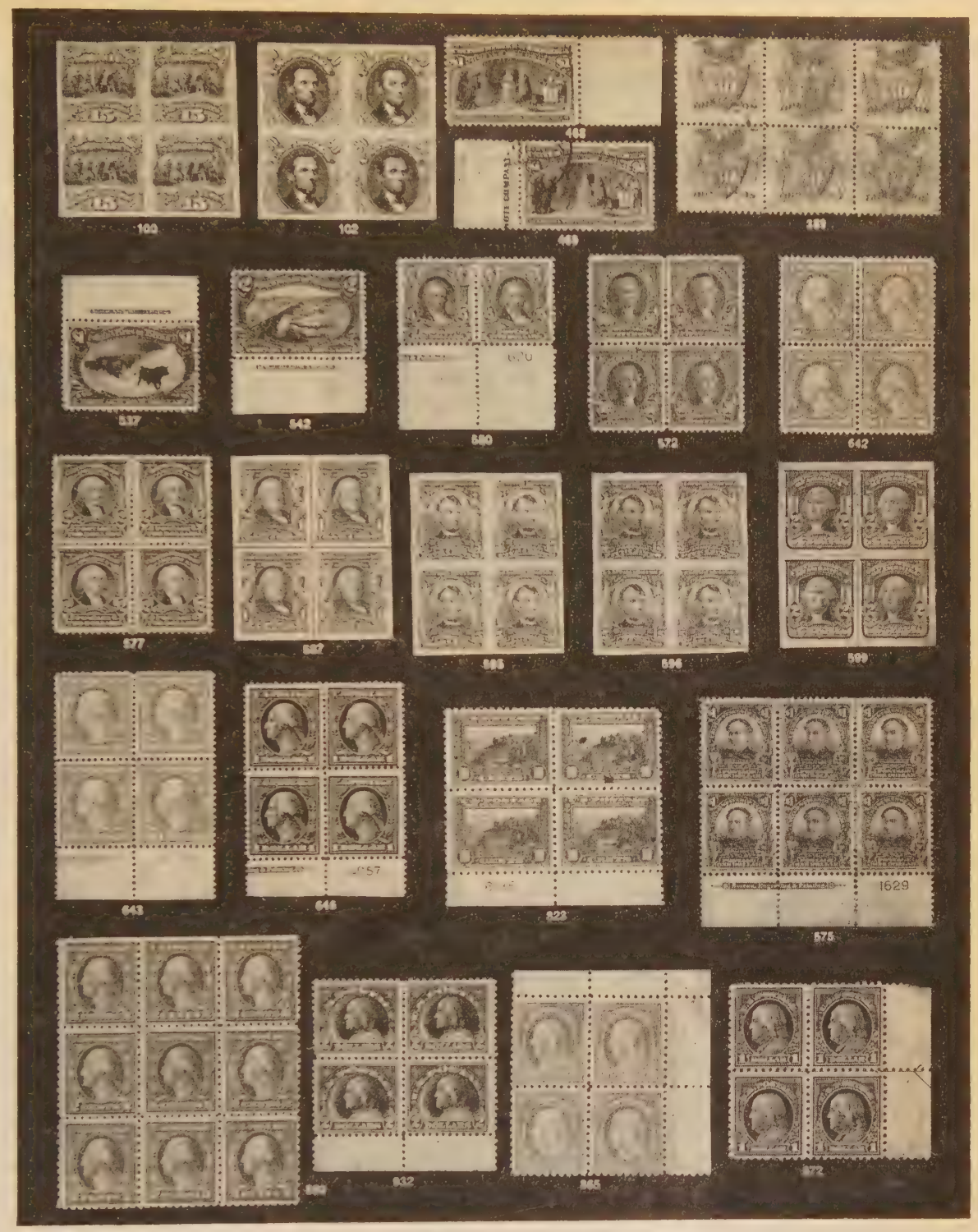

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UN to Issue Stamp Honoring Fifth World Forestry Congress

THE UN Postal Administration has released a photograph of the third commemorative stamp of 1960, honoring the Fifth World Forestry Congress, to be issued on August 29, 1960. The Fifth World Forestry Congress will be held in Seattle, Washington, August 29-September 9, 1960.

Design of UN Forestry Stamp

The stamps will be multicolored and printed by photogravure process. They will be manufactured by the Government Printing Bureau, Tokyo, Japan. Colors will be: 4c *denomination*—dark blue, dark green, two shades of blue-green and orange; 8c *denomination*—dark blue, dark green, two shades of yellow-green and orange.

The designer of this stamp is O. Hamann (Denmark) of UN Graphic Presentation. It was selected from thirty excellent designs submitted to the UN Postal Administration by the following artists: R. ud-Din (UN Graphic Presentation); J. Ducas (USA); A. Guerra (USA); L. Helguera (Mexico); G. Hamori (Australia); O. Mathiesen (UN Graphic Presentation); A. Medina (Uruguay); P. Mattieligh (USA); I. Mitchell (New Zealand); W. Numeroff (USA); R. Perrot (UN Graphic Presentation); K. Plowitz (UN Graphic Presentation); W. Woyty-Wimmer (United Kingdom).

The following printing quantities have been ordered: 4c — 3,000,000; 8c — 2,750,000.

Further details about the stamp and instructions regarding the purchase of first day covers will be released approximately six weeks before the first day of issue.

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Fifth World Forestry Congress Slogan Cancellation

The U.N. Postal Administration will use a new slogan cancellation from August 30 through Sept. 9, 1960, reading "5th World Forestry Congress, Seattle, 1960." To receive the cancellation send self-addressed envelopes affixed with U.N. postage stamps to the *U.N. Postal Administration, United Nations, New York.* The U.N.P.A. will not affix stamps to your covers, so be sure to have the *United Nations* (not U.S.) stamps affixed. Since each envelope will be returned individually through the mail, sufficient stamps must be used on each cover to carry it through the mails back to you. Mark the outside envelope enclosing your covers with the word "Slogan". All requests for the cancellation must be in the hands of the UNPA by August 24, 1960, if they are to receive the first day of use cancellation; those received later will be cancelled as soon after receipt as possible, but remember, the last day is Sept. 9th.

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SALE is now being made of 1,000 special letters which will be carried by pony express across eight western states beginning July 19 during a nine-day re-enactment of the famous Pony Express.

The National Pony Express Centennial Assn., a non-profit organization formed by the governors of the eight states through which the Pony Express trail runs, is selling the letters at $100 each. Proceeds of the sale will be used to mark the trail, establish monuments and cover expense of the 1960 horse-carried mail delivery.

The rerunning of the Pony Express will be part of the 100th birthday celebration of the short-lived, but long-remembered chapter in mail delivery history in America.

Half of the 1,000 letters will leave Sacramento, Calif., July 19 bearing Pony Express four cent stamps which will be sold for the first time at the Sacramento Post Office that very day. Post Office first day cancellations" will be placed on the stamps on these 500 letters. The other 500 letters will be sent west from St. Joseph, Mo., that same day. Pony Express four cent stamps will be purchased in Sacramento July 19 and flown by Air Force jet aircraft to St. Joseph so they can be placed on the letters. At St. Joseph a special Pony Express slogan cancellation will be used on the stamps.

Horsemen will be in charge of the mail between Sacramento and St. Joseph.

Only official, standard letters prepared by the centennial association will be carried. Each letter will weigh one-half ounce and will contain a history of the Pony Express.

Each letter will be given a serial number and a permanent record of ownership will be maintained. Special hand stamps will be affixed on the letters by the association attesting the mail was carried by horse across the eight states.

The states are Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada and California.

The letters will have two faces and will be mailed and cancelled in Sacramento or St. Joseph on departure and then will be remailed in the destination city so that the other city's Post Office cancellation also will appear.

The cancelled letters will be mailed in special cover envelopes to street addresses of purchasers immediately after the Pony Express run from either Sacramento or St. Joseph.

Purchase of letters can be made by writing: National Pony Express Centennial Assn., 2998 Connor St., Salt Lake City 9, Utah. A check for $100 for each letter ordered and specifying whether St. Joseph or Sacramento as originating mailing point should accompany the letter. Sales will be made on a first come, first serve basis, although there will be a limit on sales of two letters each way for an individual or company.

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United Nations—Twelve Philatelic Years—and 1958 Supplement

A SECOND, revised edition of *United Nations—Twelve Philatelic Years,* by Marian Carne Zinsmeister, has been published for the S.P.A. by *Van Dahl Publications, Inc., Albany, Oregon.* This covered the issues from the first one in 1945 through 1957; a supplement for the issues of 1958 has also now been published. The price of the booklet covering the issues 1945-1957 is $1.50, and the 1958 Supplement is 75c, both from Van Dahl Publications, Inc.

Mrs. Zinsmeister gives detailed information on stamps issued by the United Nations, its Specialized Agencies, and those issued by other nations in tribute to the United Nations. All philatelic details such as values, colors, designs (illustrated), paper, etc., are given, plus any special notes that are needed to help the collector. Also included in the main work is a list of the Specialized Agencies and their functions, and a list of the members of the United Nations, with dates of their admission to membership.

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40	46	.20	.04
40a	46a	.50	.06
41	47	.12	.02
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42a	48a	1.75	.15
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149	245	.12	.02
150	246	.18	.08
151	247	.18	.02
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168a		.06	.02
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243A/	481/		
243Q	493	.20	.12
244	508	.02	.02
245/	509/		
261	525	.15	.15
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321	666	3.00	.40
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323	672	.05	.02
324	673	.12	.10
325	652	.08	.02
326	660	.25	.02
327	663	.40	.05
328	691	.05	.02
329	692	.10	.05
330	685	.05	.02
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354A	754A	.21	.02
354B	755	.25	.02
355	756	.27	.02
355A	756A	.28	.03
355B	757	.30	.03
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357	759	.75	.20
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360	781	.06	.02
361	789	.05	.02
362	795	.05	.02
363	816	.60	.02
364	817	1.25	.30
365	828	.04	.02
366	829	.16	.08
367	835	.15	.02
368	836	.30	.25
369	847	.05	.02
370	848	.04	.03
371	849	.15	.12
377	855	.04	.03
378	856	.15	.12

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B1	112	.60	.15
B2	113	1.25	.25
B3	114	1.50	.25
B4	223	.85	.85
B5	224	1.35	.75
B6	257	.12	.08
B7	258	.25	.25
B8	259	.20	.15
B9	260	.10	.10
B10	261	.25	.25
B11	262	.10	.10
B12	263	.10	.10
B13	297	.24	.18
B14	298	.24	.10
B15	299	.60	.50
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B17	301	.22	.22
B18	302	.15	.12
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B34	320	.12	.09
B35	321	.15	.07
B36	322	.40	.38
B37	327	.10	.08
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B45	335	.20	.14
B46	336	.20	.07
B47	337	.65	.50
B48	338	1.00	.65
B49	339	1.25	1.00
B50	343	.20	.10
B51	344	.25	.18
B52	345	.25	.10
B53	346	1.10	.85
B54	347	.75	.40
B55	348	.85	.40
B56	349	1.35	.85
B57	350	1.50	.75
B58	351	.15	.14
B59	352	.20	.15
B60	353	.25	.08

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317–318	Aviators.....	.20	.18
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B62	360	.35	.15
B63	361	.45	.18
B64	362	50	25
B65	363	1.25	.85
B66	365	15	.08
B67	366	25	.12
B68	367	25	.10
B69	368	1.00	.85
B70	369	.60	.20
B71	370	.60	.30
B72	373	30	.10
B73	374	18	.14
B74	375	25	.18
B75	376	.25	.10
B76	377	1 15	1 00
B77	378	18	.15
B78	379	30	.28
B79	380	20	.10
B80	381	85	35
B81	382	95	.30
B82	383	10	.10
B83	384	15	15
B84	385	.18	.08
B85	386	65	32
B86	387	15	.15
B87	388	25	.25
B88	389	15	.08
B89	390	70	.22
B90	393	08	.05
B91	394	15	.08
B92	395	.15	.04
B93	396	65	.25
B94	400	.10	.08
B95	401	.15	.12
B96	402	.15	.04
B97	403	50	.17
B98	404	.04	.03
B99	405	15	.10
B100	406	.08	.05
B101	407	08	.03
B102	408	.35	.10
B103	409	06	.05
B104	410	.15	.04
B105	411	.15	.12
B106	412	.12	.04
B107	413	.35	.10
B108	419	.05	.03
B109	420	08	05
B110	421	.08	07
B111	422	08	03
B112	423	.30	12
B113	424	.12	.08
B114	425	25	15
B115	426	15	.06
B116	427	.15	.05
B117	428	.40	.12
B118	433	.05	03
B119	434	.18	.18
B120	435	.08	04
B121	436	.08	03
B122	437	.25	.15
B123	452	.08	.05
B124	453	.18	.12
B125	454	10	.05
B126	455	10	05
B127	456	25	.12
B128	457	10	06
B129	476	03	03
B130	477	.05	.04
B131	478	07	04
B132	479	.05	03
B133	480	.05	.04
B134	494	15	10
B138	498		
B139/	499/	.10	.10
B143	503		
B144	504	.03	
B144A	506...	.45	
B145	505.	25	
B145A	507..	1.25	
B148	526	02	.02
B149/	527/	08	08
B153	531		
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B158	556		
B159	557....	02	02
B160	558....	05	05
B161	559....	01	03
B162	560....	05	.04
B163	561....	07	07
B164	562....	03	.03
B165	563	01	03
B166	564....	.05	05
B167	565....	01	03
B168	566....	01	03
B169	567....	08	08
B170	568.	02	02
B171	569....	05	05
B172	570....	.05	05
B173	571....	.05	.03
B174	572....	08	.08
B175	598....	.01	.02
B176	599....	.05	.05
B177	600....	.05	.04
B178	601....	.07	.04
B179	602	.12	07
B180	625....	.02	.02
B181	626....	.05	.05
B182	627....	.05	05
B183	628....	.07	02

Scott	Minkus	Mint	Used
B184	629....	.12	.08
B185	630....	.05	.03
B186	631....	.07	.05
B187	632....	.09	.02
B188	633....	.16	.12
B189	638....	.03	.02
B190	639....	.05	.05
B191	640....	.05	.04
B192	641....	.05	.03
B193	642....	.12	.09
B194	643....	.04	.04
B195	644....	.05	.05
B196	645....	.05	.05
B197	646....	.07	.05
B198	647....	.16	.12
B199	668....	.07	.04
B200	669....	.08	.07
B201	670....	.12	.05
B202	671....	.30	.28
B203	674....	.04	.02
B204	675....	.08	.06
B205	676....	.05	.04
B206	677....	.07	.02
B207	678....	.18	.15
B208	679....	.10	.10
B209	680....	.35	.35
B210	681....	.30	.30
B211	682....	.12	.12
B212	683....	.12	.07
B213	684....	.40	.40
B214	686....	.20	.20
B215	687....	.40	.40
B216	688....	.25	.25
B217	689....	.25	.20
B218	690....	.90	.90
B219	693....	.05	.03
B220	694....	.14	.14
B221	695....	.10	.10
B222	696....	.10	.03
B223	697....	.50	.50
B224	698....	.07	.07
B225	699....	.18	.18
B226	700....	.07	.06
B227	701....	.07	.06
B228	702....	.28	.28
B229	703....	.04	.03
B230	704....	.16	.15
B231	705....	.07	.06
B232	706....	.08	.03
B233	707....	.35	.35
B234	710....	.09	.09
B235	711....	.20	.20
B236	712....	.20	.20
B237	713....	.25	.25
B238	715....	.08	.08
B239	716....	.20	.20
B240	717....	.12	.12
B241	718....	.08	.08
B242	719....	.40	.40
B243	728....	.04	.03
B244	729....	.12	.12
B245	730....	.08	.05
B246	731....	.08	.03
B247	732....	.35	.35
B248	733	08	02
B249	734....	.08	.08
B250	735....	.18	.18
B251	736....	.10	.10
B252	737....	.12	.10
B253	738....	.40	.40
B254	739....	.05	.05
B255	740....	.15	.15
B256	741....	.12	.12
B257	742....	.10	.10
B258	743....	.30	.25
B259	771....	.05	.03
B260	772....	.15	.15
B261	773....	.10	.10
B262	774....	.10	.03
B263	775....	.35	.35
B264	776....	.06	.06
B265	777....	.10	.10
B266	778	12	10
B267	779....	.10	.06
B268	780....	.35	.35
B269	782....	.07	.07
B270	783....	.09	.09
B271	784....	.04	.04
B272	785	12	12
B273	786....	.10	.10
B274	787....	.10	.03
B275	788....	.35	.30
B276	790....	.06	.06
B277	791	12	12
B278	792....	.10	.10
B279	793....	.10	.06
B280	794....	.30	.30
B281	796....	.04	.04
B282	797....	.10	.10
B283	798....	.09	.07
B284	799....	.09	.05
B285	800....	.25	.25
B286	801....	.04	.04
B287	802....	.08	.08
B288	803....	.08	.08
B289	804....	.08	.05
B290	805....	.30	.30
B291	806....	.06	.06
B292	807....	.15	.15

Scott	Minkus	Mint	Used
B293	808....	.12	.12
B294	809....	.10	.06
B295	810....	.30	.25
B296	811....	.05	.05
B297	812....	.10	.10
B298	813....	.10	.10
B299	814....	.12	.10
B300	815....	.25	.25

B301 thru B340 refer under complete sets. Singles available, please submit want list.

AIRMAIL

C1	180....	.35	.14
C2	181....	.45	.14
C3	182....	1.50	.02
C4	317....	.10	.08
C5	318....	.14	.10
C6	323....	.50	.30
C7	324....	.75	.60
C8	325....	2.75	.45
C9	340....	1.65	.07
C10	364....	.05	.06
C11	417....	.03	.06
C12	418....	.10	.10
C13	708....	...	3.50
C14	709....	...	6.00

POSTAGE DUE

J1	19.....	4.75	.50
J2	20.....	10.00	.45
J3	36.....	.50	.50
J3a	T I....	.90	1.00
J3b	T II...	1.10	1.25
J3c	T IV...	...	7.00
J4	37.....	.55	.55
J4a	T I....	.90	1.00
J4b	T II...	1.10	1.25
J4c	T IV...	...	9.00
J5	38.....	2.00	.15
J5a	T I....	3.00	.25
J5b	T II...	4.00	...
J6	39.....	4.50	.15
J6a	T I....	...	.25
J6b	T II...	...	.35
J7	40.....	5.00	.12
J7a	T I....	...	.25
J7b	T II...	...	.35
J8	41.....	5.00	1.35
J8a	T I....	...	1.50
J8b	T II...	7.50	...
J8c	T IV...	...	12.50
J9	42.....	4.00	.08
J9a	T I....	...	.30
J9b	T II...	...	.35
J9c	T IV...	11.00	..
J10	43.....	1.40	.07
J10a	T I...	....	.20
J10b	T II...	3.00	.30
J10c	T IV ..	...	1.10
J11	44.....	12.50	.10
J11a	T I....	...	.12
J11b	T II...	...	.20
J11c	T IV...	...	9.00
J12	45.....	3.50	1.00
J12a	T I....	4.75	1.75
J12b	T II...	...	2.10
J12c	T IV...	...	4.50
J13	61.....	.03	.03
J14	62.....	.25	.04
J14a	62t....	.30	.25
J15	63.....	.07	.04
J15a	63t....	.35	.30
J16	64.....	.20	.05
J16a	64t....	.45	.10
J17	65.....	.12	.09
J18	66.....	.15	.14
J19	67.....	.50	.03
J19a	67t....	.70	.09
J20	68.....	1.50	1.60
J21	69.....	.14	.07
J22	70.....	.90	.05
J22a	70t....	1.20	.15
J23	71.....	.70	.10
J23a	71t....	1.40	.35
J24	72.....	.80	.08
J24a	72t....	1.40	.10
J25	73.....	1.00	.65
J25a	73t....	1.00	.65
J26	74.....	1.15	.07
J26a	74t....	1.60	.07
J27	111....	6.00	5.00
J27a	111t...	7.00	...
J28	109....	.16	.16
J29	118....	.25	.25
J30	119....	.07	.07
J31	120....	.08	.08
J32	121....	.25	.25
J33	122....	.07	.06
J34	123....	.25	.25
J35	124....	.10	.10
J36	125....	.09	.08
J37	126....	.60	.50
J38	127....	.40	.35
J39	128....	.45	.40
J40	129....	2.00	1.75
J41	130....	3.50	3.00
J42	110....	.18	.18
J43	108....	1.00	1.00

Scott	Minkus	Mint	Used
J43a	108t...	1.35	1.35
J43b	108 tL.	2.00	..
J44	131....	.02	.02
J45	132	.02	.02
J46	133....	.08	.07
J47	134....	.03	.02
J48	135....	.03	.03
J49	136....	.02	.02
J50	137....	.18	.18
J51	138 ...	.03	.02
J52	139....	.16	.16
J53	140....	.12	.12
J54	141....	.09	.09
J55	142....	.05	.02
J56	143 ...	.09	.02
J57	144....	.06	.02
J58	145....	.09	.02
J59	146....	2.35	.03
J60	147....	.20	.02
J61	186....	.03	.02
J62	187....	.03	.02
J63	188....	.03	.03
J64	189....	.03	.03
J65	190....	.03	.03
J66	191 ...	.06	.03
J67	192	.45	.15
J68	193 ..	.05	.02
J69	194....	.08	.02
J70	195....	.09	.02
J71	196....	.30	.03
J72	225	.04	.04
J73	226....	.04	.04
J74	227....	.15	.04
J75	228....	.15	.04
J76	229....	.08	.08
J77	230....	.04	.02
J78	231....	.07	.02
J78a	231t...	.60	.75
J79	232....	.10	.04
J79a	232t...	1.00	1.25
J80	603....	.02	.02
J81	604....	.08	.08
J82	605....	.03	.02
J83	606....	.03	.02
J84	607....	.04	.02
J85	608....	.04	.02
J86	609....	.05	.02
J87	610....	.05	.02
J88	611..	.06	.06
J89	612....	.06	.02
J90	613....	.07	.03
J91	614....	.07	.02
J92	615....	.08	.07
J93	616....	.08	.02
J94	616A...	.09	.04
J95	617....	.10	.02
J96	617A...	.10	.03
J97	618....	.12	.02
J98	619....	.15	.02
J99	620....	.15	.02
J100	621....	.18	.02
J101	621A..	.20	.05
J102	622....	.32	.04
J103	623....	.32	.06
J104	623A...	.32	.08
J105	624....	.32	.03
J106	624A...	.60	.15

OFFICIALS

O1	148....	.40	.35
O2	149....	.30	.25
O3	150....	.50	.50
O4	151....	1.35	1.35
O5	152	.30	20
O6	153 ...	.65	.65
O7	154	3.50	3.50
O8	155.	3.00	3.00
O9	1.....	...	.12
O10	2		.15
O11	3 ...	...	.20
O12	4 ...	...	1.85
O13	5.....	.	.25
O14	6.....	...	.40
O15	7	...	.60
O16	8.....	...	.75
O17	9 ..	...	.75
O18	10....	.	.75
O19	11..	. .	.75
O20	12	.	.05
O21	13....	..	.05
O22	14....	..	.05
O23	15....	.	08
O24	16....	..	.10
O25	17....	...	.20
O26	18....	...	.20
O27	19....	...	.03
O28	20 ..	...	.03
O29	21....	...	.04
O30	22....	...	.04
O31	23....	...	.04
O32	24....	...	.04
O33	25....	...	.04
O34	26....	...	.05
O35	27....	...	.06
O36	28....	...	.08
O37	29....	...	.12
O38	30....	...	.15
O39	31....	. .	.15
O40	32....	...	.40

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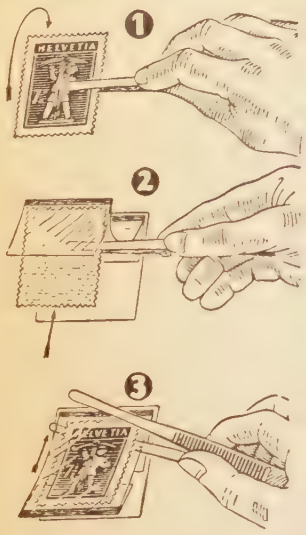

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U. S. Notes

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of the stamps to be affixed, to the *Postmaster, Sacramento* 1, *California.*

A close-fitting enclosure of postal card thickness should be placed in each envelope and the flap either turned in or sealed. The envelopes should be addressed in the lower left, because the pictorial machine cancellation requires a space approximately 3¼ by 2¾ inches.

Orders for first-day cancellations must not include orders for uncanceled stamps.

WATER CONSERVATION F.D. FIGURES

There were 648,988 first-day covers cancelled at Washington, D. C., on April 18, 1960, when the 4-cent Water Conservation stamp was first placed on sale. There were 994,664 stamps sold with a value of $39,786.56.

PICTORIAL AND SPECIAL CANCELLATIONS

A temporary postal station has been authorized in connection with the annual convention of the Dixie Stamp Collectors, to be held at Birmingham, Alabama, June 24-26, 1960.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, is utilizing a special slogan cancellation "100TH ANNIVERSARY U. S. ARMY SIGNAL CORPS 1860-1960" from receipt of two die hubs through June 30, 1960.

Another special cancellation "100TH ANNIVERSARY PONY EXPRESS NEVADA ON THE TRAIL" is being used by Carson City, Nevada, from date of receipt through July 31, 1960, and Elmsford, New York, is utilizing a cancellation "ELMSFORD, NEW YORK GOLDEN JUBILEE 1910-1960" from date of receipt through December 31, 1960.

The pictorial first-day cancellation to be used at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on June 17, 1960, when the 1¼-cent regular postage stamp in sheet and coil form are first placed on sale, will feature the essential portions of the medallic device prepared to mark the 350th anniversary of Santa Fe (1610-1960).

To the left are four profile heads, representing the four periods in Santa Fe's history—Indians, Spaniards, Confederacy and Federal rule. To the right is the Santa Fe Trail, and the monument.

The 1¼-cent "Palace of the Governors" regular postage stamp in sheet and coil form will be sold in unprecanceled condition only at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on June 17, 1960. Thereafter, it will be available in unprecanceled form ONLY at the Philatelic Sales Agency, Post Office Department, Washington 25, D. C., from June 18 through December 31, 1960.

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Trade Notes

A new price list of Latin America in complete mint sets and including a section on American Bank Note Company large die proofs has been issued by Douglas P. Ball, 1635 Du Pont Bldg., Miami, Florida. A copy will be sent for 4c postage.

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Mono and Julie Thacker, P.O. Box 414, Syosset, N. Y., will send a copy of their new Netherland price list No. 1 on request. A list of Curacao, Surinam and Dutch Indies with follow.

REFUGEE YEAR ISSUES IN STOCK NOW

		Mint	FDC
AFGHANISTAN	(2)	$ .12	. . .
ARGENTINA	(2)	.14	. .
AUSTRIA	(1)	.22	.
BRAZIL	(1)	.10	$ .50
CAMBODIA	(6)	.20	1.60
CHINA (Formosa)	(2)	.14	.45
COSTA RICA	(2)	.35	1.00
DENMARK	(1)	.10	.
CHILE	(2)	.20	. .
ECUADOR	(1)	.10	.
ETHIOPIA	(2)	.35	.
FINLAND	(2)	.39	.
FRANCE	(1)	.12	.
GERMANY W.	(2)	.27	. .
GREECE	(2)	.40	. .
REP. GUINEA	(2)	.42	. . .
HAITI	(4)	.70	. . .
ICELAND	(2)	.35	
IRAN	(2)	.20	1 00
ISRAEL	(2)	55	.80
ITALY	(2)	.25	.80
JORDAN	(2)	.35	. .
KOREA	(1)	.10	
LAOS	(2)	.40	.
LIBYA	(2)	.32	1 30
LEBANON	(2)	40	1 00
LIBERIA	(2)	.75	
LUXEMBOURG	(2)	.27	.
MALAYA	(2)	25	
MONACO	(1)	10	
MOROCCO	(2)	22	
NORWAY	(2)	33	
NETHERLAND	(2)	30	
NETHERLAND NEW GUINEA	(2)	.27	
PAKISTAN	(2)	22	
PERU	(2)	20	1 00
PHILIPPINE	(2)	21	60
PORTUGAL	(3)	22	95
SALVADOR	(1)	10	
SOMALI	(4)	60	
SURINAM	(2)	25	. . .
UAR—EGYPT		23	.75
UAR—SYRIA	(2)	33	.90
SWEDEN	(3)	27	90
THAILAND	(2)	25	.80
TOGO	(2)	45	90
TUNISIA	(2)	.25	. . .
TURKEY	(2)	32	1.00
VATICAN	(5)	2 95	
VIETNAM	(4)	.30	.
BELGIUM	(3)	50	.
LIECHTENSTEIN	(2)	42	
PARAGUAY	(4)	95	1 75
SWITZERLAND	(1)	20	
SWITZERLAND, OVERPRINT	(2)	28	
UNITED STATES	(1)	05	30
UNITED NATIONS	(2)	.17	50

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C10A	10c booklet single Wash. each	12.50
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C11	5c Beacon, Wash. pair	2.50
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C18	50c Plate bl. of 4 N.Y., 10/2/33 large cov	30.00

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Also available 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 flights 15 So. Amer. fl. intern, Amostras green canc	6.00

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U.S. Greenwood Lake 2/23/36, Red Rock. stamp	7.50
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AUSTRIA

126⊙	$ .40
163⊙	2.00
163a⊙	5.00
298⊙	.40
324⊙	.40
B23/29	1.40
B30/49	1.40
M49/65	.20
MB1	.10

AITUTAKI

26	.60
27	.60

ANTIGUA

MR1	.05
MR8	.07

ARGENTINE

242⊙	.25

BAVARIA

92/93	.15
114	.40
153	.15
153⊙	.20
154	.30
154⊙	.30
155	.40
211	.50
228	.20
229	.30
230	.40
274	.20
274⊙	.20
275	.30

BELGIUM

B1	.15
B2	1.00
B3⊙	.15
B4	.15
B6	1.00
B7	.15
B8	.15
B5/8	1.25
29	.50
49	.20
51	.25
79	.05
80	.25
90	.10
97	.07
105	.10
140/42⊙	.15

BARBADOS

129⊙	.10
140	.15
140⊙	.15
141⊙	.20
142⊙	.20
144	.60
145	.50
146	.60
169⊙	.15
MR9	.15

BERMUDA

75⊙	1.00
86⊙	.30
109	.40
109⊙	.40

BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

38	.15
44	1.00
44⊙	.60
50	.15
51	.15
46	.08
49	.16
61	.20
71	.10
101	.15
102	.25
B1 & 2⊙	.15

BRAZIL

162/5	2.00
189/90⊙	.35
191⊙	.30
235⊙	.15

BRITISH GUIANA

153	.35
158	.30
159	.30

BRITISH HONDURAS

73⊙	.25
89⊙	.40
90⊙	.50

CHILE

153⊙	.50

CONGO

25⊙	.30
37⊙	.50
51⊙	.40
153⊙	.40
54⊙	.30
57⊙	2.00

CUBA

238	.10
245	.10
C2	.30
C2⊙	.25

CURACAO

19	.15
22⊙	.50
98⊙	.30

CYPRUS

100	.30

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

61⊙	.05
62⊙	.15
63⊙	.25
B18	.35

BR. SOLOMON ISLS.

26	.75

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24	1.00

BULGARIA

76⊙	.75

DOMINICA

56⊙	.15
57⊙	.15
66⊙	.15
70⊙	.20

DOMINICAN REP.

192	.60
257	.15
186/93	3.00

DUTCH INDIES

4⊙	.20
8⊙	.40
21⊙	.65
42⊙	.15

ECUADOR

144⊙	.65

EGYPT

72⊙	.65
115/17	.90
155/58	1.00
163/65	.90

FALKLAND ISLANDS

44	.50

FINLAND

183⊙	.30

FRANCE

3⊙	.80
14⊙	.20
200	.30
201	.40
201⊙	.15
243/4⊙	.30

GERMANY

36⊙	.25
62⊙	.20
63⊙	.60
77⊙	.50
78⊙	1.25
217	.35

GREAT BRITAIN

82⊙	.30
101⊙	.30
102⊙	1.40
113⊙	.10
115	.75
116	.75
116⊙	.15
118⊙	.10
120	1.00
120⊙	.20
121	1.00
121⊙	.75
122⊙	.60
126⊙	.75
130⊙	.10
133⊙	.10
134⊙	.10
139⊙	1.25
140⊙	1.25
144⊙	.20
145⊙	.20
168⊙	.25
172⊙	.10
173⊙	1.00
179⊙	.75
180⊙	1.00
181⊙	1.50
183⊙	.60
185/6	.60
195⊙	.30
203⊙	.60

GREECE

117⊙	.50
118⊙	.50
119⊙	.50
120⊙	.50
121⊙	.50
123⊙	.90
124⊙	3.00
175	.75
176	1.00
177	1.25
178	2.25
180⊙	.50
181⊙	.50

HUNGARY

B80/87	3.50

ITALY

124/5	1.75
125	.75
163⊙	.75
164⊙	1.25
239/41	.60

ITALIAN SOMALI'D

61, 64	1.00

JAMAICA

B1/11	9.00
B1	1.00
B2	1.00

JAPAN

85/86	3.00
85/86⊙	1.50
148/9⊙	.50
150/51⊙	.50
150/51	1.00
151⊙	.30
152/3	.60
152/3⊙	.60
155⊙	.15
159	.20
163⊙	.20
164⊙	.20
202/5⊙	.75
202/5	.80
205⊙	.25
206/7	.50
208/9	.50

LATVIA

B1/4	.50
B5/8	.50
C3⊙	.25

LIBERIA

126⊙	.15
F10/14⊙	.75
F30/34⊙	.60
P20/24⊙	.90

LIECHTENSTEIN

11/16	.60
70/1	.75
B1/3	1.50
B4/6	2.00

LITHUANIA

226/32	1.25
C8/14	1.50
C15/17	1.00

LUXEMBURG

29	1.00
29⊙	1.50
58⊙	.40
67⊙	.40
B1/3	.30
B11/14	.60
B20/24	1.25
B25/29	.60
B35/9	1.80

NETHERLANDS

2⊙	1.00
49⊙	.45
51⊙	.30
85⊙	.25
87, 87	.65
132⊙	.35
136⊙	.40
B21/24⊙	.60
B16/20⊙	1.25
B12/15⊙	.90
B25/32	4.00
B36⊙	.30

NYASSALAND

26/38	1.50
39/43	.75
106/15	1.25
J1/9	1.50

PANAMA

192	.50
202	.25

PALESTINE

60⊙	.60

PARAGUAY

234	.40

PERU

160⊙	.40

PHILIPPINES

252⊙	.40
260a⊙	.50
274⊙	3.00
283⊙	.50

RHODESIA

104⊙	.30
110⊙	.75

ROMANIA

196/203	2.00

SAAR

57	.25
67	1.25
96	.60
97	.80
98	4.00
B5/8	6.50
B16/21	4.50

ST. HELENA

52	1.50
53	2.00
66	.50
75	.20

ST. VINCENT

128	.75

SCHLESWIG

11/14⊙	.75

SPAIN

318	.10
319	.10

SURINAM

5⊙	.60
6⊙	.20
10⊙	1.00
B1/3	1.00

SWEDEN

31⊙	.20
34⊙	.60
36⊙	.20
38⊙	.45
O1⊙	.75
O4⊙	1.25
O6⊙	.25
O10⊙	2.00
O23⊙	.30
B32/36	2.00

NEW ZEALAND

146	.35
158⊙	.10
169	.90

NORWAY

132/5	1.20
132/5⊙	.50

PORTUGAL

57	.35
61⊙	.15
79⊙	.15

RUSSIA

60⊙	.25
103	1.25
104⊙	.70
266⊙	.15
267⊙	.20
268⊙	.35
269/72	1.20

SWITZERLAND

98/100	1.25
98/100⊙	.70

TRANSVAAL

278⊙	.20
280⊙	.90

TOGO

86⊙	.75

TURKS & CAICOS

5	.50
3	.25
4	.45
40⊙	.50

UN. OF SO. AFRICA

1	.90
1⊙	.40
6⊙	.15
7⊙	.10
8⊙	.15
9⊙	.07
10⊙	.07
21⊙	.30
22⊙	.30

URUGUAY

182/3⊙	.30
230⊙	.10
388/90	2.40

VENEZUELA

137/41	2.50
289	.20
290, 2⊙	.50

ZANZIBAR

58a	.15
151⊙	1.25
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Collectors wishing to avail themselves of this service should note the following, and it is suggested that if interested, you cut this notice out and keep for handy reference, as the information cannot be repeated each time there is a flight:

(1) Covers should be sent to the *Superintendent, UN Post Office Station, United Nations, New York, N. Y.*

(2) All covers should be addressed and must have the correct amount of *United Nations* airmail postage already affixed. U.S. postage cannot be used, and the U.N. will not accept payment nor affix U.N. stamps for you. Don't take a chance ignoring these instructions or you will not receive your covers.

(3) The outside envelopes must bear the words "First Flight Covers" and must indicate the date and destination of the first flight.

(4) It should be noted that covers will be serviced for first flights *departing from New York only.*

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Varig Cachet for New York to Brasilia Non-Stop Jet Service

AN official first flight cachet will mark inaugural on June 14, 1960, of *Varig Airlines'* non-stop jet service between New York and Brasilia, Brazil's new capital.

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Collectors desiring United Nations postmarks should send self-addressed envelopes with *United Nations postage affixed* to the *Superintendent, U.N. Post Office Station, United Nations, New York, N. Y.* Mark the outside enclosing envelope "First Flight Covers". Be sure to affix *U.N.*, not U.S. stamps.

When addressing your covers, leave plenty of room at the left for the application of the cachet, and for the U.N., covers should reach dispatch point ten days before flight; for the U.S., five days before flight, at latest.

Billig's Handbook No. 28

(*Continuer from page* 328)

These form long and important chapters in the book.

Other features are The Kermadecs (New Zealand) by G. N. Morris; New Zealand Marine Post Offices, Niue, and Norfolk Island, by the same author; Numeral Ship Postmarks of Norway During World War II, reprinted from "The Posthorn," and two other Norway articles by Frederick A. Brofos, covering military field postmarks and railroad postmarks. The Postal Stationery of Norway is covered in a chapter by Dr. Justus Anderssen and Henrik Dethloff, translated from the Norwegian by Frederick A. Brofos, also reprinted from *The Posthorn.*

There are several other smaller features in this fine handbook, which is available at $6.00 from *Fritz Billig,* 168-39 *Highland Ave., Jamaica* 32, *New York.*

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Stamps of the Russian Empire Used Abroad—Part VI

THE sixth and final Part of the outstanding research work by S. D. Tchilinghirian and W. S. E. Stephen, entitled *Stamps of the Russian Empire Used Abroad,* has now been published. This Part covers Ship Mail to Korea and Japan, and Russian America. Also a supplement covering additional information that has been turned up since publication of the sections relating to other areas.

As in the case of the Parts published earlier, the authors have included geographical and historical notes that give a background for the postal history information here recorded.

The various Russian ship lines are dealt with separately, the Russian markings, and Japanese markings are illustrated, and are accompanied by a checklist of the Russian stamps used so far as is known.

The Supplement occupies the major portion of Part VI, and anyone having the other parts will most certainly need this because it carries so very much additional information. There is a valuable section treating on the Forced Cancellations on the 1909 Commemorative Sets and the Romanov 1913 high values, plus a full page of illustrations showing genuine markings and forged ones. There are numerous other cancellations and postal markings shown throughout, as well as several covers, and map, showing Russian Ship Line routes to Korea and Japan, and one of Russian America, 1790-1867.

This Part, consisting of approximately 100 pages, is $4.50, the same price as each of the other Parts. The entire work consists of 576 pages. The previous parts were reviewed in STAMPS of Oct. 26, 1957; March 1, 1958; Sept. 13, 1958; March 7, 1959; and Nov. 21, 1959.

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THE United States stamps and covers in the estate of the late *Arthur R. Davis* are being offered in the June 3, 1960 Paige Sale to be held at the Parker House in Boston. Prof. Davis was nationally known for his intense interest in the 3c 1851-57 issues, together with a pioneer interest in U. S. Rates.

The condition of off-cover material in this collection is far above average and includes many scarce items, such as blocks of the 1869 proofs on India, many never hinged Columbian plate number blocks, and most of the scarcer 20th century, including Airmails.

Prof. Davis loved covers, and his specialized groups of Stampless, Rates, 1851 First Days, Fremont campaigns, and Patriotics, together with outstanding covers of the 1851-57 issue through the Civil War bears this out.

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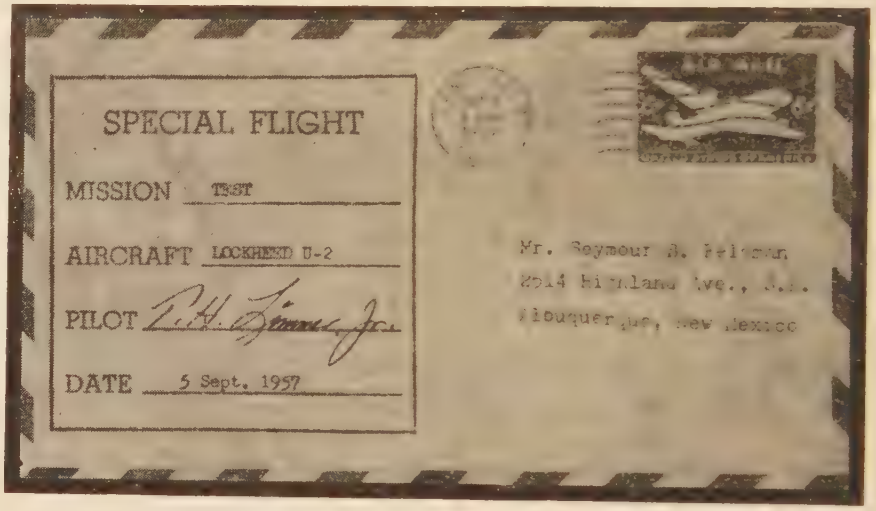

Cover from U-2 aircraft on test mission, Sept. 5, 1957, at Lancaster, California; signed by Pilot T. H. Limmer, Jr.

The U-2 High Altitude Aircraft and Flight Cover

NO DOUBT many readers of STAMPS would be interested in seeing the accompanying photograph of a Lockheed U-2 Jet such as was recently involved in the shooting down over Russian territory of one of our pilots. Also shown is one of my rare flight covers which had been flown aboard one of these aircraft while they were still in the experimental stage.

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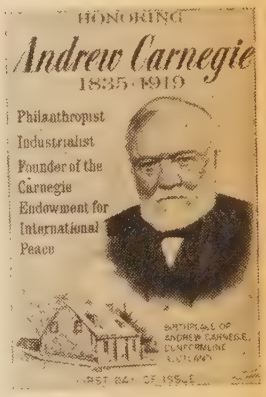

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790/1	.24	.09	B362/5	.35	.32	9N151	.16	.16	9NB12	.70	...
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All stamps mentioned in this column are understood to be in MINT condition unless stated otherwise. Wherever the author has used stamps in mind, he so indicates in the particular item.

TIPOFF

VATICAN CITY—We all know that Vatican City stamps rate ace high with most collectors, but these same collectors may have to borrow a word from a foreign dictionary and say "Nyet." It happened with the 1958 Brussels Fair set and souvenir sheet, and the Sede Vacante commemorative set, Scott's #247-249, and now again with the six-value World Refugee Year set. A leakage in the Vatican City Post Office Department let it be known to some privileged few which value of the new set had the lowest edition. In the World Refugee Year set it was the 100L. value which was bought up. As soon as this value was no longer available at the post office, speculators sold it for eight to ten times face value to the trade, forcing the price up immediately, even though the other values were still on sale at Vatican City post office counters. This policy makes collectors suffer. In the case of the Sede Vacante issue, the price went up suddenly, but after a while, one could buy all the copies of this issue one wished for much less than when the issue was still "hot." After the figures were released, there were 500,000 complete sets of the Sede Vacante sold, and a great many sets, probably the larger number, unsold and waiting for a buyer. The same thing happened with the Brussels Fair set and the World Refugee Year commemoratives will not be an exception. Should you be able to get the World Refugee Year issue from your dealer at the usual new issue price, do so. If not, wait a few months. The price should be right by then on the basis of these other recent experiences we mentioned.

GUATEMALA—While this is being written, the situation in regard to the World Refugee Year commemorative is still confusing. If the figure of 30,000 complete sets issued is correct, I would advise you to get it while it is still being offered below $2 per set.

PARAGUAY—The World Refugee commemorative issue is completely sold out

and is selling at the present time for around 85c. You should get it now as this W.R.Y. issue is on the way up.

LIBERIA — The World Refugee Year souvenir sheet is "hot" and fancy prices are already being asked for it. Try your best to buy it at best.

HAITI—The souvenir sheet for World Refugee Year is already in short supply. High prices are being asked so that there is no time to be wasted in getting this one.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC — The World Refugee Year souvenir sheets are no longer on sale, but they are still being offerd in STAMPS at a reasonable rate of $2.75 for the pair. Get this soon, as the demand, by far, exceeds the supply.

LAOS—Among the three Indo-China states, Laos is most popular. Its stamps are picturesque, and therefore appeal to many collectors. With few exceptions, most of the stamps still sell for new issue prices, and are within the means of many of us. One of the exceptions is Scott's #25-26 and #C13, recommended in this column several times while still low in price. The latest stamps to be issued from this country are the World Refugee Year commemoratives, two overprinted values. With thousands of World Refugee Year collectors, the normal supply may not last too long. This set is presently selling for around 40c and no time should be lost in including it in your Laos collection.

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50-Volume General Collection in H. R. Harmer Auction

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U. N. First Day Cover Figures

There were 446,815 covers which received first day cancellation for the 4c and 8c U.N. Palais de Chaillot stamp, issued February 29, 1960.

When the U.N. 4c and 8c Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East stamps were issued on April 11, 1960, there were 415,127 first day cancellations.

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MEXICO AIRS—1960

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Scott	Mint	Used
907	$ .05	$ .03
908	.07	.05
B1	.65	...
B2	.65	...
C2	.25	.15
C3	.15	...
C4	.15	.12
C5	.18	.15
C6	.20	...
C7	.65	...
C8	.25	...
C9	.65	...
C10	1.10	...
C11	.08	.08
C12	.18	...
C13	1.25	.12
C14	.15	.15
C15	.15	.15
C16	.25	...
C17	.30	.25
C18	1.50	...
C19	2.75	...
C20	.04	.04
C21	.06	...
C22	.10	.03
C23	.18	.03
C24	.20	.20
C25	.25	.25
C26	.30	...
C28	.50	...
C29	1.25	...
C30	1.75	...
C31	1.00	...
C32	1.00	...
C33	1.00	...
C34	2.35	...
C35	4.25	...
C36	1.00	...
C37	.85	...
C39	.06	.05
C40	.75	.75
C41	.75	...
C42	.75	...
C43	1.00	1.00
C45	.08	...
C46	1.75	...
C47	.15	...
C49	.10	.06
C50	.35	.40
C51	.75	.35
C52	1.75	...
C53	19.50	...
C62	.10	.05
C63	.18	...
C64	.40	.40

SANABRIA...112
USED....22.50

Scott	Mint	Used
C72	.35	.05
C73	1.25	.35
C75	1.25	.90
C76	.10	.06
C77	.06	.06
C78	.10	.10
C79	.22	.22
C80	1.00	...
C82	.05	.05
C83	.10	.10
C84	1.75	.65
C85	.18	...
C87	1.00	...
C89	1.50	1.25
C90	1.50	...
C91	.35	.18
C92	.65	.50
C93	.25	...
C94	.05	.05
C95	.75	.65
C96	.35	...
C97	.06	.04
C98	.10	.08
C99	.20	.20
C100	.10	.06
C101	.18	.06
C102	.35	.22
C103	.25	.25
C104	.22	.22
C105	.06	.06
C106	2.00	2.00
C103/7	30.00	...
C108	.05	.05
C109	.10	.10
C110	.25	.20
C111	.40	.20
C112	.40	...
C113	.50	.50
C114	.40	.20
C115	.75	.50
C116	.40	...
C117	.40	.12
C118	.10	.10
C118a	1.25	1.25
C119	.20	.20
C120	.45	.18
C121	.40	.35
C122	.45	.35
C123	1.10	.40
C124	1.10	.50
C125	.80	.50
C126	.60	.20
C127	.20	.20
C128	.40	.35
C129	.45	.22
C130	.22	.10
C131	.35	.25
C141	.06	.04
C142	.10	.05
C143	.06	.06
C144	.20	.20
C145	1.00	1.00
C146	1.75	1.75
C147	6.00	5.00
C148	.10	.10
C149	.20	.20
C150	1.00	1.00
C151	1.75	1.75
C152	3.50	3.50
C153	.10	.10
C154	.20	.20
C155	1.00	1.00
C156	1.75	1.75
C158	.08	.08
C159	.20	.20
C160	1.25	1.00
C161	2.00	1.75
C162	4.00	...
C163	.10	.10
C164	.20	.20
C165	1.00	1.00
C166	1.75	...
C167	.20	.15
C168	.15	.15
C169	.30	.20
C177	...	.25
C178	2.00	1.25
C179	4.00	...
C180	.06	.06
C181	.08	.08
C182	.15	.15
C183	.20	.15
C184	1.00	.65
C185	.06	.03
C186	.05	.03
C187	.06	.03
C189	.05	.03
C190	.06	.03
C191	.06	.03
C192	.10	.03
C192a	...	.02
C193	.10	.06
C194	.18	.04
C194A	.20	.12
C195	.16	.04
C196	.80	.25
C198	7.50	...
C199	.25	.15
C200	.10	.08
C201	.25	.12
C202	.10	.10
C203	.10	.08
C204	.18	.18
C206	.05	.04
C207	.06	.05
C208	.03	.02
C208A	.05	...
C209	.03	.02
C210	.04	.02
C211	.04	.03
C212	.05	.05
C213	.06	.02
C214	.08	.02
C215	.08	.02
C216	.14	.06
C217	.16	.03
C218	.80	.15
C219	1.60	.45
C220	3.25	1.50
C222	.06	.04
C223	.08	.05
C224	.06	.03
C225	.08	.04
C226	.16	.16
C227	.06	.03
C228	.06	.04
C229	.03	.03
C230	.03	.03
C231	.08	.03
C232	.16	.06
C233	.20	.08

896a-C234a SHEET (2)
*3.75....◉$4.00

Scott	Mint	Used
C234	.80	.40
C235	.08	.04
C236	.04	.03
C237	.18	.12
C238	.06	.03
C239	.08	.03
C240	.16	.08
C241	.08	.03
C242	.08	.03
C243	.08	.03
C244	.16	.08
C245	.08	.03
C246	.08	.03
C247	.08	.03
C248	.16	.08

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Scott	Mint	Used
CO1	1.00	...
CO2	1.00	...
CO11	.30	...
CO12	.35	...
CO13	.30	.30
CO14	.45	.45
CO15	.45	.45
CO16	.35	.35
CO17	.10	.10
CO19	.35	.35
CO20	2.00	...
CO22	.08	.08
CO23	.50	.40
CO24	.35	.35
CO25	.10	.10
CO26	.10	...
CO27	.40	...
CO28	.35	.35
CO29	.40	.40
E1	...	.18
E2	.15	.06
E3	.08	.08
E4	.05	.04
E5	.05	.05
E7	.06	.04
E11	.12	.10
E14	.06	.02
E15	.10	.04
E16	.06	.03
E17	.13	.13
G1	.04	.03
G3	.20	...
G5	.12	.10
G6	.20	.12
G10	.04	.03
G11	.08	.05
G12	.16	.09
G13	.80	.35
G14	1.60	.60
G15	.04	...
G16	.06	...
G17	.16	...
G18	.80	...
J1	.42	.42
J2	.42	.42
J3	.42	.42
J4	.42	.42
J5	.42	...
JX1	.65	...
JX3	.75	...
JX9	.15	...
JX10	.25	...
JX11	.25	...
JX12	.30	...
JX20	.30	...
JX23	.25	...
JX25	.15	...
JX26	.20	...
JX27	.20	...
JX28	.20	...
JX29	.20	...
JX30	.20	...
JX31	.20	...
O2	...	.08
O4	.20	...
O7	.38	...
O15	...	.40
O18	...	1.35
O49	...	.25
O50	...	.25
O51	...	.25
O52	...	.38
O53	...	.38
O54	...	.50
O55	...	.20
O57	...	1.25
O59	...	.25
O60	...	.25
O61	...	.25
O63	...	.25
O69	...	.25
O70	...	.38
O71	...	.25
O74	8.75	...
O76	.20	.20
O77	.20	.20
O78	.20	.20
O80	.32	.25
O81	.32	...
O82	.38	...
O83	1.25	...
O84	1.50	...
O86	.20	...
O87	.20	...
O88	.25	...
O89	.20	...
O90	.20	...
O91	.25	...
O102	.75	...
O103	.20	...
O104	.20	...
O105	.90	...
O106	.20	...
O107	.25	...
O108	.25	...
O109	.25	...
O120	...	.90
O128	.50	...
O133	...	1.75
O136	.50	...
O145a	...	.12
O146	...	.08
O147	...	.09
O148	...	.10
O149	...	.09
O150	...	.08
O151	.40	...
O155	...	.10
O156	...	.06
O157	...	.10
O158	.10	.08
O159	...	.12
O160	...	.12
O169	...	.30
O175	.15	.15
O177	.05	...
O178	.08	...
O179	.15	...
O180	.20	...
O181	.22	...
O189	.15	.15
O198	.08	...
O206	...	.35
O208	.15	.15
O209	.20	.20
O212	.03	.03
O214	.03	.03
O215	.05	.05
O217	.03	.03
O218	.03	.03
O219	.05	.05
O220	.08	.08
O221	.15	.15
O222	.22	.22
O223	.20	.20
O225	.08	...
O226	.05	.05
O227	.05	.05
O228	.10	.10
O229	.12	.12
O230	.15	.15
O231	.20	.20
O232	.30	.30
Q1	.06	.03
Q2	.10	.04
Q3	.06	.03
Q4	.12	.05
Q5	.06	.03
Q6	.10	.04
Q7	.05	.03
Q8	.10	.05
Q9	.03	...
Q10	.05	...
RA1	.05	.03
RA2	.20	...
RA3	...	.32
RA4	.10	.04
RA11	.10	...
RA13	.06	...
RA15	.06	.02

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Scott	Mint	Used
1	.30	...
2	.30	...

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35 36 53 67 68 74 76 78 79 91 98 110 111 112 113 116 117 118 119 126 128 129 135 153 155 161 170 173 175 180 182 205 206 208 211 144 146 224 225 228 229 239 242 243 253 256 259 260 264 265 268 270 290 293 295 296 298 300 310 313 314 C6 E11 MR7 O4 O6 O12 O13 O14 O17 O18 O20 O21 O26 O31.

15c Each

66 143 168 179 181 184 193 200 201 222 321 331 332 334 C5 C7 E10 O1 O3 O7 O8 O15A O22 O23

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51 70 85 86 92 96 97 114 120 143 145 147 154 172 174 194 198 202 204 214 215 261 272 278 280 281 294 C1 E7 F25

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15	1.50	203	.80	CO1	.50
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25	1.00	216	1.00	E2	.60
27	2.50	226	.30	J8	.35
28	4.50	227	1.00	O2	1.25
34	.25	244	.30	O9	22.50
37	.25	245	.60	O10	6.00
38	.75	249C	.40	O11	2.50
39	.75	258	.30	O24	1.25
42	.30	262	.45	O32	1.25
52	.40	273	.40	O38	.45
112A	.35	279	.50		
115	.35	312	.35	**MINT**	
122	.30	331 pair	.25	CE1	.35
148	.45	332 pair	.30	CE2	.35
156	.35	333 pair	.40	CE3	.65
157	.35	372	.35	CE4	.40

VATICAN

5c MINT

19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 72 77 78 80 81 82 84 85 87 88 90 91 92 93 94 95 99 100 102 103 104 105 106 110 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118 119 122 123 124 125 158 159 160 161 176 177 178 192 203 204 219 223 229 233 234 243 244 256 C9 C10 C11 C24 C25 J7 J8 J9 J10 J13 J14 J15

8c MINT

27 73 74 79 86 89 96 97 101 107 132 133 162 163 200 205 209 220 224 230 235 C1 C2 C3 C4 C26 J11 J12 J16 Q1 Q2 Q4 Q5 Q6 Q7 Q8 Q9 C35 C36 C37 C38

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VATICAN-MINT

1	.25	167	.60	254	.15
2	.25	168	.50	255	.45
3	.25	169	2.00	257	.10
4	.35	170	4.50	258	.15
5	.35	171	1.25	259	.20
6	.35	172	2.75	260	.30
7	.40	173	9.50	261	.90
8	.40	174	.75	262	.12
9	.40	175	1.50	263	.20
10	1.25	179	.25	264	.20
11	2.00	180	.55	265	.40
12	6.00	181	.90	266	.08
13	7.00	182	.25	267	.12
14	7.00	183	.85	268	.24
32	.25	184	1.35	C5	.25
33	.30	185	.70	C6	.25
34	.45	186	1.20	C7	.50
35	1.25	187	.70	C8	.70
41	.40	188	1.30	C12	3.75
42	.40	189	.75	C13	.45
43	12.00	190	1.50	C14	.75
44	45.00	191	3.00	C15	1.25
45	5.00	193	.35	C22	5.50
46	10.00	194	.75	C23	9.00
47	.45	195	.45	C27	.15
48	.35	196	1.35	C28	.30
49	29.00	197	.25	C29	.40
50	.60	198	.50	C30	1.00
51	11.00	199	.75	C31	.60
52	1.00	201	.45	C32	1.60
53	1.25	202	1.00	C33	1.50
54	1.25	206	.35	C34	3.00
55	.45	207	.55	C39	.15
56	.45	208	.75	C40	.20
57	.75	210	.25	C41	.20
58	3.00	211	.45	C42	.35
59	21.00	212	.30	C43	.80
60	3.00	213	.95	C44	1.95
61	7.50	214	.45	E1	4.75
62	.30	215	.75	E2	2.50
63	.30	216	.15	E3	.15
64	5.00	217	.40	E4	.15
65	.30	218	.60	E5	.15
66	.30	221	.35	E6	.20
67	.30	222	.65	E7	.15
68	.65	225	.35	E8	.25
69	.35	226	.60	E9	.15
70	1.75	227	.15	E10	.25
71	.35	228	.35	E11	.40
75	.25	231	.25	E12	1.65
76	.50	232	.60	E13	.20
83	.40	236	.20	E14	.35
90	.75	237	.25	J1	.30
98	.25	238	.60	J2	.30
120	.20	239	.20	J3	9.00
121	.20	240	.35	J4	.75
127	.45	241	2.00	J5	3.00
130	.40	242	2.00	J6	1.00
145	.35	242A	5.75	J17	.15
146	.45	245	.25	J18	.20
147	3.50	246	.75	Q3	6.50
148	4.50	247	.45	Q10	.30
149	.15	248	.60	Q11	.30
154	.50	249	1.45	Q12	.40
156	1.00	250	.12	Q13	.60
157	2.50	251	.15	Q14	.45
164	.15	252	.25	Q15	.65
165	.35	253	.45		
166	.35				

VATICAN-USED

4	.35	154	.40	C13	.45
8	.40	155	2.50	C14	.60
9	.40	164	.15	C15	.50
14	2.25	165	.35	C16	1.25
29	1.75	166	.30	C21	6.00
30	3.50	167	.60	C22	1.50
48	.35	168	.30	C23	4.75
49	7.00	179	.20	C29	.30
63	.30	194	.45	C30	.75
71	.35	196	.60	C31	.40
108	.15	213	.38	C32	.90
109	.20	214	.35	C34	1.60
130	.40	215	.50	J1	.30
131	.75	236	.15	J2	.30
135	.20	237	.20	J3	7.00
		238	.40		

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Minkus World Refugee Stamp Album

A MOST attractive stamp album has just been published by *Minkus Publications, Inc.*, to provide for the stamps and covers issued for the World Refugee Year.

Printed on one side only, the pages are of strong thin ledger quality paper, are illustrated with clear reproductions of the stamps and covers, except for those which had not as yet come through when the album went to press. Altogether 65 nations are represented on the pages, and future supplements will provide for any later issues. Some 70 nations had announced they would have stamps for the occasion.

The album also provides for some stamps with a related theme that were issued in earlier years.

The pages have an attractive border with the uprooted tree, symbol of the World Refugee Year, at top. The colorful but dignified jacket of the album also features this symbol.

A foreword by A. R. Lindt, U. N. High Commissioner for Refugees, and John Davis, Director of the UNRWA stamp project, gives some interesting details concerning the stamps under the heading "The Refugee Story Told Through Stamps."

The album complete with binder sells for $5.00; pages only, $3.00; obtainable through your favorite dealer, bookstore, or stamp departments of leading department stores named in the Minkus advertising in STAMPS.

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United Nations Notes

Stamps Withdrawn From Sale

THE last day of sale for the 3c and 8c International Atomic Energy Agency stamps, issued February 10, 1958; and the 3c and 8c Central Hall stamps, issued April 14, 1958, was January 31, 1960. The following quantities of these stamps are in circulation: 3c IAEA 3,663,305; 8c IAEA 3,043,622; 3c Central Hall 3,353,716; 8c Central Hall 2,836,747.

Collectors are reminded that June 30, 1960, will be the last day of sale for the 4c and 8c U.N. Day stamps issued Oct. 24, 1958; and the 4c and 8c Human Rights Day stamps issued Dec. 10, 1958.

6c Airmail Remainders To Be Destroyed

Remaining stocks of the 6c U.N. airmail stamp, initially issued Dec. 14, 1951, in an amount of two million, and reprinted July 1958 in an amount of 500,000 will be destroyed. Last day of sale will be July 31, 1960.

Refugee Slogan Cancellation

The slogan cancellation "Refugees Need Your Help", used by the U.N. for one day only, April 7, 1960, was applied to 40,151 covers.

U. S. Precancels

By Adolf Gunesch

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Parade of Bureau Precancels

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NORTH Tonawanda 1c large Old Style, G-C Cat. No. D12, may have a history very similar to the rare Tonawanda; that is, most of these, if not all, come creased. While not as high priced as the 1½c Tonawanda sheet stamp, they are almost as rare.

Small Old Style

Large Old Style

More of the 1½c North Tonawanda, large Old Style G-C. cat. No. D13, are available, but they are not common by any means.

The only other Bureau Precancel used from this post office is the 1c in the small Old Style. If it were not for that one mailing by a philatelic publisher about twenty years ago, this stamp would be unobtainable. Even as it is you will have to part with a dollar bill to get a copy for your collection.

Fulton Coil

Fulton, New York, one of the early users of a Bureau coil, is also a one time and one value user. The coils were in use over the period of seven or eight years by several permit holders. It is listed in the *First Bureau Precancel Catalog*, published in 1926. The item has never been plentiful.

Pairs are priced in some of the early catalogs, but it is doubtful if any existed until around 1932. The late Dr. Mitchell commented in "Gossip" in 1932 that some twenty pairs had been reported to him within one week. A dozen or so of them were sent for an offer. To the best of his knowledge no pairs were known prior to that mailing. The mailing in question was used on circulars to doctors and dentists. He remarked that the centering of the pairs submitted was very poor. That centering comment seems to apply to the entire printing that was supplied to Fulton. We would say 90% of copies we have handled were either design cut or design touched.

Fulton 1½c coil, G-C Cat. No. A24, had its ups and downs in the catalog pricings until 1939 when it seemed to dawn on the catalog pricers that the stamp was in limited supply, and was one of the scarce Bureaus. Since 1939 the stamp has steadily increased in catalog value. The seventh edition *Gunesch-Coda Standard Bureau Catalog* lists it at $47.50. It is a very good stamp to own in fine centering. The poorer copies are also good material and readily salable; the catalog price of course applies to fine copies only.

Large Old Style

While talking about large Old Style coils, we should mention Garden City 1c, G-C cat. No. B23. Until a few years ago this was one of the rarest items in pairs. A small supply seems then to have been located, which made necessary a drastic cut in the pair price in the fifth edition of the *Gunesch-Coda Standard Bureau Catalog*. While singles of this stamp in clipped condition are very common, unclipped copies are not floating around, and this find therefore affected the single price very little. Remember, the catalog price is for unclipped copies.

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Trade Notes

Mr and Mrs. Harry O. Fischer have expanded their philatelic enterprises. In addition to the store run by Mr. Fischer at 53 Cricket Ave., Ardmore, Pa., Mrs. Fischer will be in charge of the store to be opened on May 15, 1960, at *1925 Chestnut St., Philadelphia 3, Pa.*

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Coming Events

June 1-30—DIXIPEX III, the annual stamp exhibit of the regional Dixie Stamp Collectors, in cooperation with the Birmingham and Selma Stamp Clubs, will be held in Birmingham, Alabama. Exhibition site is the Public Library Art Gallery. First Day Cover on the new 1½c stamped envelope will be released on Convention Day, June 25. For full information write to *Raymond J. Lowell Sr.*, 1640 *Steiner Ave., S.W., Birmingham* 11, *Alabama.*

June 10—Metropolitan Airmail Cover Club meeting at 8:00 P.M., at the Happiness Exchange Bldg., 226 W. 42 St., New York City.

June 10—Minnehaha Stamp Club meeting at 8:00 P.M., at the Pillsbury House, 320 16th Ave. S., Minneapolis, Minn. Guest night and topical exhibits.

June 11—The Motor City Air Mail Society will celebrate its 250th meeting with a special dinner and travelogue. The club was organized in 1937 and meets the second Monday of each month at members' homes. The meetings are open to all collectors. A special cachet, honoring the 250th M.C.A.M.S. meeting, is available from the secretary, *Bliss R. Bowman*, 8191 *Chatham, Detroit* 39, *Mich.* Collectors wishing the cachet should send self-addressed stamped envelopes, plus 5c for each cover, and indicate whether they wish a Detroit GPO, Detroit AMF, or a Dearborn, Michigan, postmark.

June 12—New England Precancel and Stamp Club meeting in Hudson, Mass. Further information available from club secretary, *Bob Briggs, Box 7, No. Orange, Mass.*

June 15—Bell Telephone Stamp Club of Philadelphia meeting at 7:30 P.M., Room 518, Pioneer Lounge, 121 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa. Films—"Postman of the Skies," and "Stagecoach to the Stars."

June 17—California Collectors Club meeting at the Broadmore Hotel, 1499 Sutter St., San Francisco, Calif. Exhibit.

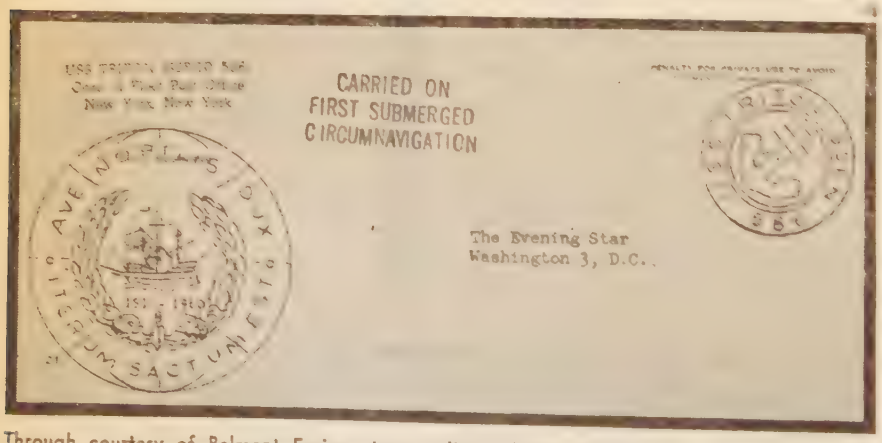
June 19—Nassau-Suffolk Philatelic Alliance Stamp Roundup to be held at the American Legion Hall, Greenwich St. and Marvin Ave., Hempstead, N. Y. Admission free.

June 20-24—Arrowhead Stamp Club of Duluth, Minn. and Superior, Wis., holds its 12th annual stamp exhibition at the Northern City National Bank, Duluth, Minn. Further information is available from publicity manager, *Ben D. Mitchell*, 522 *N. 10th Ave., Duluth* 5, *Minn.*

June 21—The Reading Stamp Collectors Club, 300 N. Sixth St., Reading, Pa., meeting. Auction.

June 21—Tucson Stamp Club meeting at 7:30 P.M., Room 101, Art Bldg., University of Arizona, Speedway and Olive Rd., Tucson, Ariz. Visitors welcome.

June 26—The Connecticut Philatelic Society Summer Meeting CONNPEX, sponsored by the Hamilton Standard Stamp Club, will be held at the Raycroft Walsh Park, Windsor Locks, Conn. The post office, bourse and exhibition will be open from 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. Cacheted covers with special CONNEX cancellation are available at 10c each from the *Hamilton Standard Stamp Club, c/o Frank R. Leary, secretary, Hamilton Standard Division, Windsor Locks, Conn.* All stamp collectors and their families are invited to participate in the exhibition and enjoy the recreational facilities.



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The Rhode Island Philatelic Society is celebrating its Diamond Jubilee this year. The club, one of the oldest in the United States, meets on the first and third Tuesdays each month in club rooms at 100 Elmwood Ave., Providence, R. I.

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Winners in the 11th Annual Stamp Exhibition of the Chillicothe, O. Philatelic Society, held April 23-24, 1960, were as follows: Grand Award—*Robert D. West,* French African Republics; U. S. First—*W. G. Palmer,* One, Two and Five Dollar Plate Blocks; Foreign, First—*E. B. Brookbank,* Boy Scout stamps; Junior-First—*Eddie Gosnell,* U. S. Champions of Liberty.

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The Dutchess Philatelic Society meets every second and fourth Monday at the Y.M.C.A., 58 Market St., Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Visitors are always welcome.

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Exhibition winners at the show held recently by the Arrowhead Stamp Club of Bernardino, Calif., were as follows: Court of Honor Special Award—*Lee Jensen; Grand Cup Award*—Mr. Quackenbush; United States Cup Winner — *J. Wiedeman;* Foreign Cup Winner — *Charles F. Bishop* and *F. A. McCrackin;* Covers Cup Winner — *Jon Nicholson;* Airmail Grand Cup Winner—*Mr. Quackenbush;* Topical Cup Winner—*W. F. Barrett.*

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The Missile Stamp Club has been organized recently in Eau Gallie, Florida. The club has a membership of twenty-six and meets every first and third Tuesday of the month at St. John's Episcopal Church Educational Bldg. Further information on the club is available from *Edna St. Thomas, Route #1, Box 59, Eau Gallie, Florida.*

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The Bell Telephone Stamp Club of Philadelphia is sponsoring a special cachet for Flag Day, June 14, 1960, featuring the Betsy Ross House in Philadelphia. Collectors desiring this cachet should send self-addressed, stamped envelopes to *A. Pemsel, Bell Telephone Co. of Pa.,* 1317 *Filbert St.,* 3rd *Floor, Philadelphia* 7, *Pa., by June* 10, 1960.

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Union of South Africa Cover from Ernest Hunt, cacheted for UNIPEX, and franked with Golden Jubilee stamps on first day of issue.

CAMEROUN—From *Le Monde des Philatelistes,* May 1960 edition, comes the following information.

A 30 fr. stamp, designed and engraved by Albert Decaris and showing an uprooted tree, will be issued shortly in honor of World Refugee Year.

A 50 fr., gray-black and wine-red stamp, was scheduled to be issued on May 16, 1960 in honor 10th anniversary of the Commission of Technical Cooperation of Africa South of the Sahara (C. C.T.A.).

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC—A 50 fr. blue and green stamp, honoring the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A., was scheduled to have been issued on May 21, 1960.
—*Le Monde des Philatelistes, May* 1960

CHAD REPUBLIC—A 50 fr., violet-brown and wine-red stamp, honoring the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A., was scheduled to have been issued on May 21, 1960.
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CHINA (FORMOSA)—Our thanks to *S. Y. Ma,* Taiwan, for a first day cover of the four-value Inauguration of the Cross Island Highway set issued May 9, 1960, as reported in our May 21st issue. The values are NT$0.40, NT$1.00, NT-$2.00, and NT$3.00.

CONGO REPUBLIC—On May 21, 1960, a 50 fr., red and gray-green stamp was to have been issued honoring the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A.
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DAHOMEY—*Stamp Magazine,* London, May 1960 edition reports that the 100 fr. and 500 fr. airmails, reported in our May 14th issue, were released on April 1, 1960.

Le Monde des Philatelistes, May 1960, reports that on May 16, 1960, a 5Fr., blue and wine-red stamp was to have been issued honoring the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A. On May 29, 1960, a 25 fr. stamp will be issued to commemorate the first anniversary of the "Conseil de l'Entente," depicting the national colors of the four members of the treaty, Dahomey, Ivory Coast, Niger Republic and Upper Volta.

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France, dated April 23, 1960, with a special cancellation honoring the F.I.S.A. meeting held there.

From the *Ministry of P.T.T.*, we learn that the 0.30 N.F. stamp, depicting the Blois Chateau, issued May 21, as forecast in our May 14th issue, was designed and engraved in taille-douce by Serres. The green, bistre and blue stamp was printed in sheets of thirty.

GIBRALTAR—The values of the new definitive set to be issued in 1960, forecast in our January 2nd issue, are ½d., 1d., 2d., 2½d., 3d., 4d., 6d., 7d., 9d., 1/-, 2/-, 5/-, 10/-, and £1. The stamps are being prepared by Messrs. Thomas De La Rue & Co., Ltd.

—*Crown Agents Stamp Bulletin*

GABON REPUBLIC—On May 21, 1960, a 50 Fr., blue-green and wine-red stamp was scheduled to have been issued in honor of the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A.

A 200 fr., aquamarine, bistre and green stamp, honoring Dr. Albert Schweitzer, is scheduled to be issued shortly. The stamp was designed and engraved by Raoul Serres. —*Le Monde des Philatelistes*, May, 1960

GERMANY (WEST)—Our thanks to *Joachim Dill* for cards with special cancellations as follows: April 13, 1960, Phila 1960 stamp exhibition held at Triberg/Schwarzwald; April 24, 1960, National Congress of Bahai Haziratulquds at Frankfurt; April 23, 1960, German-

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GREAT BRITAIN—A special cancellation "VII International Ceramic Congress 23-28 May 1960" will be used in stamp cancelling machines in some of the bigger London post offices from May 23 to May 28, 1960. Another special postmark, "The Bath Festival 18-28 May 1960" will be used in Bath from May 18 to May 28, 1960.

—*General Post Office*

GREENLAND—To mark the 15th anniversary of the Liberation of Denmark, three of the 1945 issues (1 ore, 5 ore and 7 ore) showing a seal, were overprinted "Danmark/Befriet/5 Mai 1945" and scheduled to have been released May 5, 1960. A special cancellation was also scheduled to have been used.

—*Stamp Collecting*, April 22, 1960

GUINEA—On December 10, 1959, a six-value set depicting the U.N. Building, was released, in the following values and colors: 1 fr., blue and orange; 2 fr., green and magenta; 3 fr., red and brown; 5 fr., turquoise and brown; 50 fr., maroon, green and blue; 100 fr., orange, green and blue. The stamps were printed in offset except for the 50 fr. and 100 fr. values which were recess printed by the Wright Banknote Co.

The surcharged Health Set, issued March 1, 1960, reported in our April 9th issue, consists of the following values, colors and motifs: 20 + 10 fr., red and blue, eye inspection; 30 + 20 fr., purple and orange, laboratory technician; 40 + 20fr., blue and maroon, insecticide spray gun team; 50 + 50 fr., brown and green, microscopic examination; 100 + 100 fr., green and mauve, operation theatre. The frames were recess printed and the centers lithographd by the Wright Banknote Company.

The set, scheduled to have been issued May 6, 1960, honoring Guinea's first anniversary as a member of the U.P.U., reported in our April 9th issue, consists of the following values: 10, 15, 20, 25, and 50 francs.

—*Philatelic Magazine, London*

ITALY—Our thanks to *Venetia First Day Covers*, for a first day cover of the three-value "Expedition of the Thousand" set issued May 5, 1960, as forecast in our January 16th issue. The set, honoring Garibaldi and his men in their conquest of Sicily, consists of the following values, colors and designs: 15 L., brown, reproduction of the proclamation made by Garibaldi when he landed at Sicily, designed by G. Savini; 25 L., carmine rose, meeting of Garibaldi and King Victor Emmanuele outside of Naples; engraved by E. Vangelli; 60 L., blue, engraved by E. Donini after a painting by G. Induno depicting the "Thousand" embarking near Genoa. The stamps were printed in sheets of forty. The 15 L. value was printed by photogravure on star-watermarked paper.

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IVORY COAST—From the February 12, 1960 edition of *Philatelic Magazine* comes the information that on March 5, 1960, a nine-value definitive set was issued consisting of the following values, colors and designs: 50c., bistre and brown-olive, Beast's mask; 1 fr., yellow and lilac, Warrior's mask; 2 fr., green and blue, Warrior's mask; 4 fr., orange and green, Baoule mask; 5 fr., sepia and vermilion, Senoufo mask; 6 fr., violet and claret, Senoufo mask; 45 fr., claret and green, Beast's mask; 50 fr., turquoise and bistre, Gouro mask; 85 fr., green-black and red, Gouro mask. Also issued on the same date were a set of postage dues, depicting a Warrior's mask in the following values and colors: 1 fr., green; 2 fr., green; 5 fr., orange; 10 fr., blue; 20 fr., purple.

Le Monde des Philatelistes, May 1960, informs us that on May 14, 1960, a 25 fr., violet and blue-green stamp was issued honoring the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A. On May 29, 1960, a 25 fr. stamp will be issued honoring the four member nations of the "Conseil de l'Entente."

LUXEMBOURG—Our thanks to the *Administration of P.T.T.* for a first day cover of the 5 F. and 2.50 F. stamps issued May 9, 1960, reported in our May 7th issue, honoring, respectively, the First European School, and the 10th anniversary of the Schuman Plan.

MALAGASY REPUBLIC (MADAGASCAR)—*L'Echo de la Timbrologie,* France, reports that on April 11, 1960, a 20 fr., bistre-red and green stamp was issued, depicting Philibert Tsiranana, first president of the Republic, and a map of Madagascar. On April 13, 1960, a 25 fr., brown-red, maroon and blue stamp, designed by Decaris, was released to commemorate the Olympic Games. The stamp shows two athletes and the five Olympic rings.

MALI FEDERATION—A 25 fr., violet-red and violet stamp was scheduled to have been issued on May 21, 1960, honoring the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A.
—*Le Monde des Philatelistes,* May 1960

MAURITANIA ISLAMIC REPUBLIC—On May 16, 1960, a 25 fr., blue and green stamp was to have been issued to honor the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A.
—*Le Monde des Philatelistes,* May 1960

MOROCCO—A 110 fr., green, blue and bistre-red stamp, honoring the 900th anniversary of the founding of Marrakesh, designed and engraved by Pierre Gandon, was issued on April 24, 1960.
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—*L'Echo de la Timbrologie*

NEW ZEALAND—Twelve of the seventeen-value pictorial set, reported in our December 19, 1959, issues, will be released on July 11, 1960. These values are 2d., 4d., 1/-, 1/3, 1/6, 1/9, 2/-, 2/6, 3/-, 5/-, 10/-, and £1. The remaining values will be released later. The pence values, depicting native flowers, were printed by photogravure by Thomas De La Rue & Co., Ltd. The other values were printed by photogravure by Harrison & Sons, Ltd.

A stamp, depicting the New Zealand ensign, having a value of 9d., will be placed on sale at about the same time as the rest of the Pictorial set.

The 1960 Health Stamps, to be issued on August 10, 1960, and withdrawn from sale at the end of November, will consist of the values of 2d., + 1d. (Kingfisher) and 3d. + 1d. (Wood Pigeon).

The number of 1959 Red Cross stamps sold was 3,699,118. The stamps were issued on June 3, 1959.

NIGER REPUBLIC—On February 22, 1960, three stamps, designed and engraved by Albert Decaris, were issued, consisting of the following values, colors and design: 15 fr., brown-red and blue-green, mouflons; 20 fr., dark bistre and violet, mouflons; 30 fr., brown-red, yellow and green, giraffes.

On April 11, 1960, a 500 fr. airmail, designed and engraved by Rene Cottet, representing the National Park, was released.

On May 16, 1960, a 25 fr., brown-red and bistre stamp, honoring the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A., was scheduled to have been issued.

On May 29, 1960, a 25 fr. stamp, honoring the 1st anniversary of the "Conseil de l'Entente" will be issued, depicting the colors of the four member nations.

—*Le Mondes des Philatelistes, France*

SWITZERLAND—Our thanks to *Y. B. Heissler,* Berne, for a first day cover of the 5c., 10c., 15c., and 20c., values of the eighteen-value definitive set issued May 10, 1960, as forecast in our April 30th issue.

TOGO—On May 21, 1960, a four-value set of stamps was scheduled to have been issued to commemorate the recent Paris Summit Conference. The stamps, designed by Willie W. Wind and lithographed by Thomas de la Rue, Ltd., all bear the legend in French, "May 1960 / Summit Conference." In addition there is an outline of a globe, the flags of the four participating nations, and the words "Pour la Paix." The main design on each of the stamps is one flag of the four countries which appear on the following values: 0.50 F., Great Britain; 1 F., Russia; 20 F., France; 25 F., United States.

—*Togo Philatelic Agency, New York*

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA — Our thanks to *Ernest Hunt,* Chairman of UNIPEX, the international exhibition which opens May 30, 1960, for a cover with the UNIPEX cachet and franked on the first day of issue of the Golden Jubilee set of stamps, forecast in our issue of April 9, 1960.

The values, designs, and colors of the stamps are as follows: 4d., Union flag of orange, white and blue against a blue background, with the opening notes of the National hymn; 6d., green, showing the coat-of-arms of the four provinces; 1/-, blue, against yellow background, depicting early settlers and a wagon wheel; 1/6d., blue, showing the official emblem of the Union Festival. Our thanks to the *South African Tourist Corporation,* New York, for information on the significance of the designs.

Another stamp honoring the Golden Jubilee will be issued on May 31, 1960.

We have also received from *J. M. Weinstein,* Pretoria, a copy of the new areogramme, released the latter part of April. The design has been altered, and the format changed, so that it is now similar to the aerogrammes of Great Britain. The imprinted stamp is a 6d. blue lion design, and Mr. Weinstein also affixed one of the new Jubilee issues, the 6d. coat of arms. The inscription on the back of aerogramme are in English and Afrikaans, with the English at the left, Afrikaans at right; and the English at top, Afrikaans below, in the inscription "Sender's Name and Address." It is expected the sheets with Afrikaans first will be issued later. The paper is gray outside, white inside, as against the former blue paper.

VENEZUELA—Our thanks to *Dr. Miguel Dao,* Caracas, for a first day cover of a set issued May 9, 1960, in the following values: regular postage—Bs. 0.05, 0.20, 0.25, 0.30, 0.40, 0.45; airmails—Bs. 0.15, 0.40, 0.60, and 0.80. We believe that this is the National Panteon set forecast in our October 3, 1959, issue.

UPPER VOLTA—On May 1, 1960, a 25 fr., bistre, grey-blue and bistre-violet stamp, designed and engraved by Pierre Munier, was issued. The stamp bears the portrait of the president of the republic, Maurice Yameogo.

On May 16, 1960, a 25 fr., gray-black and blue stamp, was scheduled to have been issued in honor of the 10th anniversary of the C.C.T.A.

On May 29, 1960, a 25 fr. stamp will be issued to commemorate the first anniversary of the "Conseil de l'Entente." The stamp will depict the colors of the four member nations.

—*Le Monde des Philatelistes*

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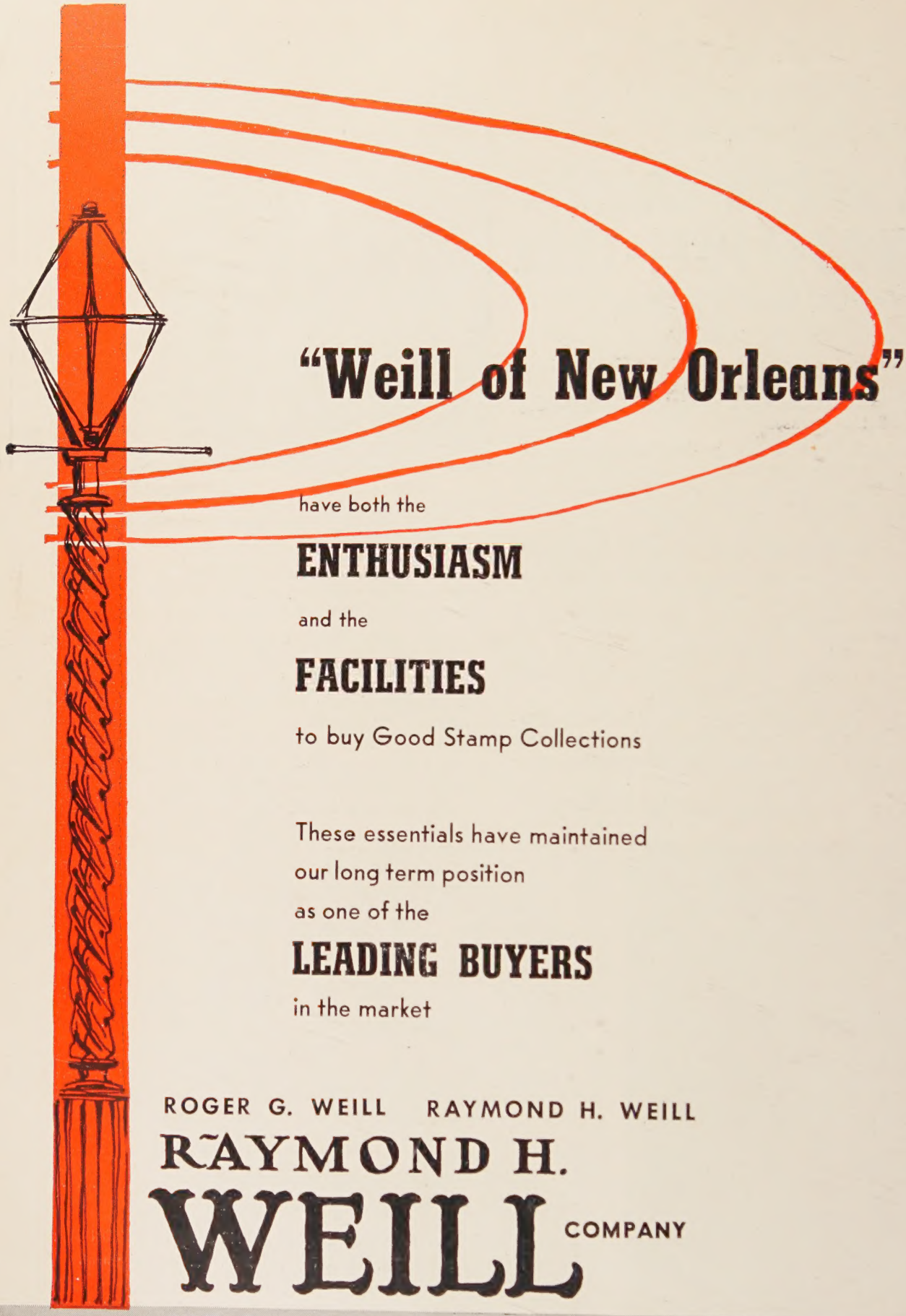

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